

3-WAY SYSTEM FOR SCHOOLS TO START IN FALL

Washington Township,
Bally and Bechtelsville
Boroughs Join Forces

Pupils of Washington township and Bally and Bechtelsville borough schools may be confused just at first when they return to classes for the Fall term, but schoolboards of the three districts feel that the change made in the school set-up there will be an economical and more efficient improvement.

The school boards of the three districts the past week approved the long-debated community plan which will banish obsolete one-room schools and put unused classrooms in the larger buildings to use.

Under the plan, each school board will maintain its own identity, meeting with the other boards only once each year or when contingencies call for a special meeting.

In line with plan for streamlining the three school districts, Washington township will close its four one-room schools which in the past housed elementary grades from One to Eight.

The township will continue to operate its two-room building, providing for the First to the Fourth grades.

Bally will house grades Five

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Trinity Sends 39 Members To Meeting

(Picture on Page 16)

Thirty-nine members of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church attended a session of the annual district camp meeting held at Rose Dale Grove, north of Reading, last night.

The congregation members arrived in a caravan of six cars which left the church at 6:30 p.m. under the supervision of the Rev Donald T. Floyd, pastor.

The church had the fifth largest attendance at the session, which was witnessed by 1400 members of the denomination. The Royersford delegation was third with 48 persons present.

Lloyd Brownback, Royersford Sunday school superintendent, announced that a seminary for training ministers will be established soon at Myerstown, Pa.

THE REV. DR. CLYDE MEADOWS, of Chambersburg, presented a sermon on "Life's Supreme Decision—the Choosing or Rejecting of Christ."

"The choice must not be delayed," he said. "In war, people flock to churches, but the choice should be made while you are able.

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Leukemia Victim Returns Home

Thomas Mann, 3½-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Mann, Maple Gardens, who has been waging a long battle with incurable leukemia, returned home yesterday by ambulance from Children's hospital, Philadelphia.

Hospital physicians listed his condition as unchanged from Wednesday's critical condition. They added that at this extreme stage of the illness, nothing could be done for him in the hospital that cannot be done for him at home by his physician-father.

The hospital said Dr. and Mrs. Mann expressed the hope that the child would not be disturbed by telephone calls to them during this crisis.

His condition was unchanged early this morning.

THE WEATHER

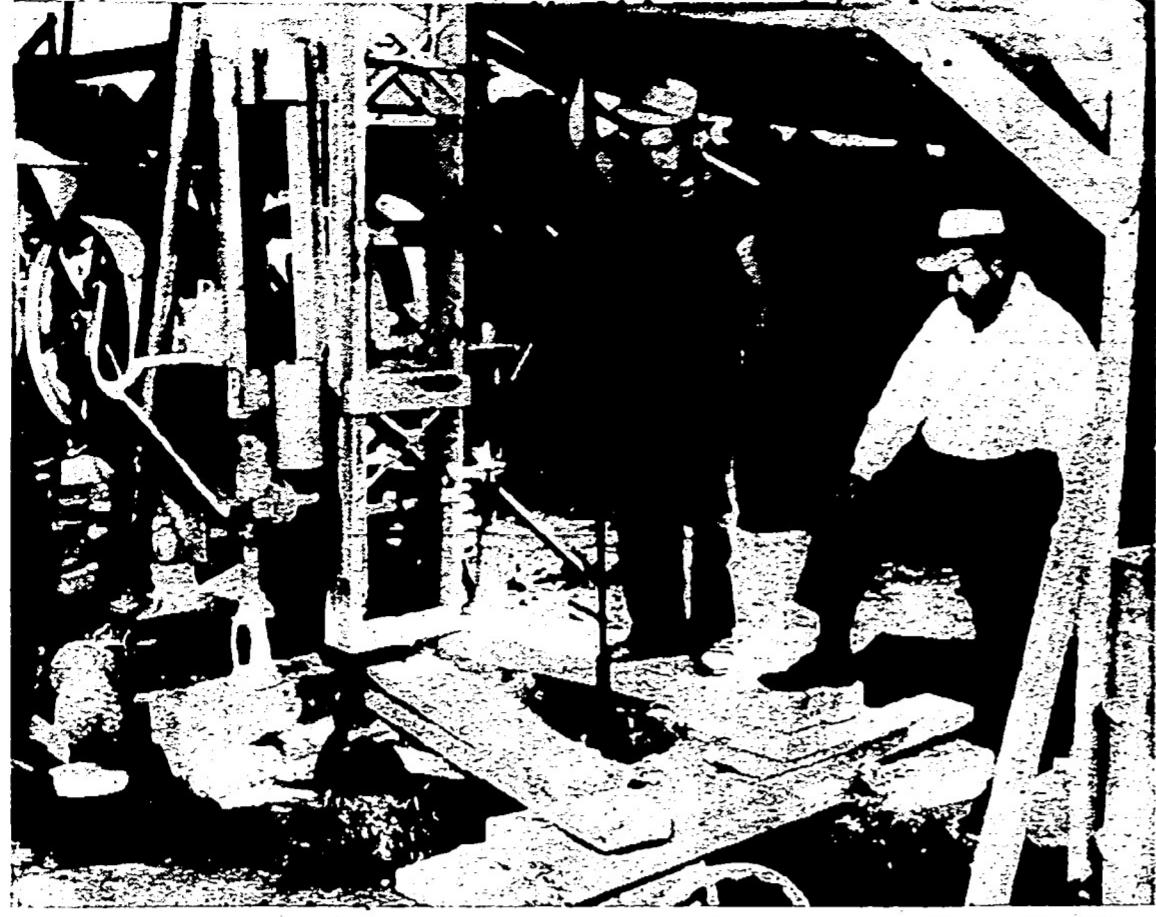
For Eastern Pennsylvania: Today, partly cloudy, warm and more humid. Chance of scattered afternoon showers. Tomorrow, cloudy with thundershowers. Cooler after showers.

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Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m.	67	4 p. m.	81
5 a. m.	65	3 p. m.	81
6 a. m.	64	2 p. m.	80
7 a. m.	64	1 p. m.	80
8 a. m.	65	12 p. m.	79
9 a. m.	70	10 p. m.	79
10 a. m.	73	11 p. m.	79
11 a. m.	73	12 p. m.	79
1 p. m.	77	1 p. m.	79
2 p. m.	78	2 p. m.	79
3 p. m.	80	3 p. m.	79

Hopeful and Patient



—Mercury Staff Photo

Out of this well hole, which is almost 990 feet deep, may roar a sudden fortune for Morris G. DeTurck (right), Douglassville RD 1 farmer. He and a Lancaster county man are partners in the first drilling for natural gas known to have been done in the Pottstown area. They've been on the job since the past January, have seen several promising signs but as yet no gas strike. At left is Lester Petersheim, Morgantown, son of the owner of the well-drilling outfit, which usually drills for water.

DRILLING HAS GONE NEARLY ONE-FIFTH MILE

Farmer's Sure of Gas Deposit

By FRED C. SELBY
(Mercury Staff Writer)

A Pottstown area farmer making the first known attempt to strike a natural gas deposit in the area has drilled nearly a fifth of a mile below the surface without striking gas, but he is definitely not ready to give up yet.

Morris G. DeTurck, Douglassville RD 1, father of 12 children below the surface, he remarked: and part-owner of three farms in "We're expecting to hit it, but it is the Monocacy-to-Yellow House section we haven't come to yet."

He takes samples of water taken from the depths had kept their hopes alive. Kohl, who is in the Renovo section this week, has told him that the water looked similar to water taken from Renovo wells just before those wells struck gas.

"If we hit," DeTurck said, "there'll really be a scramble around here." (He and his partner have got ahead of the prospective scramble by leasing hundreds of nearby acres on a royalty basis.)

AS FOR Kohl's technique of deciding whether land may have natural gas below it, DeTurck said: "We're not doing much talking around about that . . . If we did, everybody would be around trying it."

The operation is being carried out by the outfit of L. N. Petersheim, Morgantown. Lester Petersheim, a son, said that the drilling "has been about as hard as any around here."

Average downward speed of the (Continued on Page Twenty-five)

KOHL BECAME convinced there was gas under that land, and he persuaded DeTurck to help him in the venture. They started drilling in January.

Yesterday, as DeTurck sat under a big field umbrella, watching the well-drilling outfit at work with a drill that was almost 990 feet

Children's Aid Society Provides Foster Homes

By MARTIN SALDITCH
(Mercury Staff Writer)

When a child's parents become ill, separated or divorced, and can no longer care for him, the United Fund agency that steps in is the Children's Aid Society of Montgomery county, which has provided foster homes for 155 youngsters during the past year, including 20 in the Pottstown area.

"Providing families for children is our essential job," says Mildred Hanks, executive secretary. "We try to find suitable foster homes for children for either long or short periods when circumstances cause parents to break up their own family."

Miss Hanks puts particular emphasis on finding a suitable home—one which suits the needs

of the individual child. "A certain home may be good for John, but not for Susie," she explains.

The three staff workers of the society visit prospective foster homes to determine their suitability. The workers check whether the foster parents are financially secure, and their attitude toward children.

"We want to know why they want children," says Miss Hanks. "If they are too fixed and rigid as to what type of child they want, they may get discouraged easily."

SHE ADMITS, "We aren't perfect, and sometimes we have to move a child out of a home that isn't right for him."

The child may spend anywhere from a few months to many years at a foster home, depending on how soon the parents are able to resume responsibility for their children.

Miss Hanks emphasized that a foster child is not an orphan, since

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PVT. ROBERT E. RHOADS

POTTSTOWN'S FREE OF RELIEF FRAUD CASES

Pottstown has virtually none of lous people to be relief chiselers the out-and-out fraud by people on in a metropolis than it is in Montgomery county.

relief that has plagued Philadelphia and other big cities recently, but various forms of over-payment account for about 2 percent of the relief payments made locally.

This was reported yesterday by Mrs. Jennie M. Scott, executive director of the Montgomery County Board of Assistance, an arm of the Pennsylvania Department of Public Assistance.

In contrast with the situation in Philadelphia, where 12 men and women were held for court this week on charges of relief fraud, Mrs. Scott said there has not been a single court case of fraud in the county.

Mrs. Scott, who was a Philadelphia welfare worker before she became director of the board three months after it opened in 1938, said that it is far easier for unscrupu-

lous people to be relief chiselers here are franker," she said.

"We do have overpayments, though," she conceded. "Last year, we estimated that the amount of assistance granted that shouldn't have been granted was about 2 percent. That, we thought, was pretty good."

MOST COMMON reasons for over-payment, she said, are the cashing of insurance policies by relief clients who fail to notify the board, and the taking of a job, usually a temporary one, by a relief client who also fails to notify the board.

Most such cases, she said, are the results of a relief recipient's ignorance of the law or confusion about it, Mrs. Scott asserted.

Cases of over-payment uncovered are turned over to the regional of

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Dick Scheffey

—commuting to Washington, D. C., in his new airplane.

Louise Derrick

—looking for her daughter at the circus.

Eric Penketh

—showing how well a Britisher plays tennis.

Sandra Swinehart

—accepting an apology.

Residents of Hemlock Row Will Take Petition to Council For Paving, Sewers, Lights

By ED ZUMACH

(Mercury Staff Writer)

Owners of half the 18 houses on Hemlock row, between King and Walnut streets and Ninth and Tenth streets between Johnson and State streets were not presented to council for adoption at the past Monday's council meeting reportedly because petitions requesting the ordinance and property releases had not been signed by property owners on the streets.

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Assistant Borough Manager Dow L. Sears said last night neither

petitions nor releases had been offered to anyone in connection with any of the proposed streets because petitions must be submitted by the residents first.

HE ADDED that the borough will show residents how the petitions must be submitted, but the residents must circulate the petitions themselves.

He continued, that even though all the Hemlock row home owners sign such a petition the borough could not construct the street immediately after passing the ordinance accepting the land for the street. It first must receive a release for property at the north end of the row near Walnut street which is not owned by a Hemlock row resident.

In addition to providing for a 40-foot wide street 300 to 400 feet (Continued on Page Fourteen)

1st Step Taken to Create Park Between Churches

The petition is to be circulated by Henry Dozier, secre-

tary of the Pottstown chapter of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, in a few days. Stowe, agreed last night at a meeting in the Mt. Herman Baptist church, to sign a petition for presentation to the borough council requesting a paved street in front of their homes, installation of sanitary and storm sewers and street lights and the institution of garbage collection.

The wife of a tenth owner said her husband would agree to sign and the owners present said they felt certain the remaining owners would do so too.

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This was reported yesterday by Francis W. Hunsberger, an elder of Zion's Reformed church and a member of the committee representing both it and Emmanuel Lutheran church, which jointly own the graveyard located between them.

The construction of the brick wall, averaging four feet in height with a double-pitched brick top, is expected to be completed by the year's end, and possibly by Fall.

The wall will face North Hanover street, on the East side, and will span the length of the graveyard, which is between Zion's, at Hanover and Chestnut streets, and Emmanuel, at Hanover and Walnut streets. There would be a central entrance, with double gates.

Hunsberger said it is the committee's "dream" that the building of the brick wall will be followed by the removal of the grave- markers in the cemetery; the surfacing and landscaping of the graveyard, and the erection of memorial plaques as a backdrop for a small park.

Yesterday, Dr. McCormick, Henry Y. Shaub, Lancaster architect acting as consultant for Sanders and Thomas incorporated, the company which will do the building, and Charles S. Bicksler, registered architect for the builder, directed questions to Nicholas G. Gallucci, assistant to the chief of school plant division of the Pennsylvania Department of Public Instruction.

RUNSBERGER EMPHASIZED that the ultimate goal still is "only a dream" and that no agreement on it has yet been reached by the two churches.

Court approval would be required for such a move, he men- (Continued on Page Twenty-five)

Auto Swerves Out of Control And Rolls Over

Three teen-agers escaped serious injury when the sedan in which they were riding swerved out of control, rolled completely over and landed on its side on State street a mile south of Route 100 last night at 11:45 o'clock.

The driver, Robert Kirlin, 16, of 26 West Fifth street, and the two passengers, Robert Glison, 16, of 385 North Evans street, and Barbara Ann Sheetz, 18, of 15 Union alley, crawled from the wreckage through the shattered windshield.

When the Good Will ambulance arrived at the scene of the accident, Miss Sheetz had already been taken home by a passing motorist.

Irvin DeHaven and William Toso, ambulance drivers, gave the two youths first aid at the accident and took them to the Pottstown hospital dispensary.

Glison was uninjured and Kirlin suffered abrasions of the elbows only.

KIRLIN SAID that he was driving south on State street and making a sharp bend in the road when it appeared as though he were going to hit a tree on the right.

Pottstown Portraits

A Quick Look at Your Neighbor

BY LARRY DAVIS

SINCE 1936 when he returned to Pottstown from the West Coast, Earl Franklin Antrim, 412 Cherry street, has taken an active part in the borough's civic life, its youth activities and its veterans affairs.

He has made himself available to community life despite a handicap that would have brought lesser men to a dead stop long ago.

Partial blindness—the result of being gassed in World War I—has made him more keenly aware of the need for community progress.

Antrim, who will observe his 55th birthday September 30, is the second of three sons born to the late Harry F. and Ada E. Antrim; and while there are several families of the same name in Pottstown and vicinity, they have no clan tie with him. His older brother, Russell, lives at Hasbrouck Heights, N. J., and the younger brother, William, is a resident of Toledo, Ohio.

He was born in Pottstown and moved to the Cherry street address when he was a boy. His father, who died in 1936, was for 20 years an iron puddler. His mother died the past year.

His education was begun in the former elementary school at Cherry and Franklin and continued at the Chestnut street school, the Richards school, and one year of Senior High school.

Following his service in World War I, he studied marine drafting and ship construction at the Williamson Trade school, and then completed a three-year course in agriculture at the University of Delaware.

On April 4, 1918, he entered the Army, serving in France with the 308th Machinegun battalion of the 78th (Lightning) Division. He survived the Meuse-Argonne offensive, but at St. Mihiel suffered shrapnel wounds of the left leg. There, too, was he gassed with mustard and phosgene which 15 years later was to have a telling effect on his eyes.

After studying at Williamson and the University of Delaware, failing health prompted him in 1925 to go West, a trip that ended at Los Angeles. There, for several years, he was in the restaurant business. From a small lunch room, he built the business into a chain of three eating places until he was caught in the full pressure of the depression in 1932.

"A fellow with capital," Antrim says in retrospect, "might have survived. But I didn't have it. It got so bad that the 65 cent lunch dropped to 30 cents."

Two years later, he was hospitalized for nine months when his loss of sight became apparent.

But, in 1935, largely for his health, Antrim stirred up a small flurry as the "Bicycle Ambassador for the City of Los Angeles," and with papers signed by Mayor Frank Shaw to prove it, he completed a 9336-mile trip through the United States, Canada and Mexico.

His adventure started April 10 and was completed on November 15, not without mishaps including being picked up by the Buffalo, N. Y., police and being run into by motorists.

"I'd like to make that trip again," he says, "but I wouldn't do it alone."

The following Spring, he was set for the 6-day bicycle races when an accident, which nearly tore off his right arm, knocked him out of competition. Shortly after, he returned to Pottstown.

Antrim, a bachelor, has been devoted to the activity of the Pottstown Post 780, Veterans of Foreign Wars, since 1938. He has served two terms as commander (1946-47 and 1947-48), has been a delegate to 12 State conventions and nine national conventions.

He first became interested in boys' work on the West coast where he was scoutmaster.

When he returned to Pottstown, he organized two boys' clubs at the Rupert school, which lasted for seven years, and organized and conducted the local marble tournament for 11 years. From 1940 to 1943 he was Boys Work secretary for the YMCA.

A relapse in his visual handicap during the recent VFW National Convention at Los Angeles has served to strengthen his philosophy of life.

"If all people," he suggests, "would just live with their fellow men and feel and show consideration, what a wonderful world it would be."

BACK in his high school days, Ronald M. Neiman had a deep-rooted interest in two fields of activity: music and radio repair. Today, married to his childhood sweetheart, father of two children and living at 938 South Hills boulevard, his former hobbies are paying his way through life.

RONALD M. NEIMAN

For the past 16 years he has been a radio (and more recently a TV) repairman and for 16 years he has held down the trumpet chair with the six-piece Ken Nichols orchestra. Like many of Pottstown's musicians of years standing, he has had his share of hopping around the eastern seaboard's night club circuit.

With 120 pounds packed on a five foot, three inch frame, Neiman is a native of Pottstown. He was born on April 1, 1912, the son of the late Charles and Ethel Neiman. His father for years had been employed in the white metal department of the Dohler Jarvis corporation.

Following the death of his mother in the tragic 1918 flu epidemic, Neiman was raised by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Moyer, at 401 Chestnut street. He was educated at the Chestnut street school, the Jefferson school, the old Junior High Pottstown High school where he took a general course.

At the age of eight, Neiman began the study of piano under the Ralph Yohn, and later studied the violin under Charles Zimmerman. In his youth, also, he was tutored on the trumpet by Eugene Weidner, director of the famous Ringgold band, and with Lloyd Geisler, now with the National Symphony in Washington.

Following his graduation in the depression 30s he played with the orchestras of Sleepy Hall and Charlie Boulanger, both of New York City, and toured the South with the Ross Russell stage review.

That trip was a minor disaster. His expensive trumpet was stolen (he replaced it with one costing \$14, including case) and the review folded at Daytona Beach, Fla. He didn't eat regularly for two weeks. Back North, he played both the Madison Square Garden and Boston Garden Rodeo with Everett Johnson, of Chicago. By that time, he had reached his 21st birthday. A stretch with Joe Ritchie, on the South Jersey night spot circuit followed. Then he soured on the music business as a career.

As a teen ager he built crystal and one-tube radios. So, after pulling himself away from the music world, Neiman studied radio repair by correspondence course, finishing in 1934.

He spent two years repairing radios for Raymond L. Moore, tried the road again in music and finally came to rest.

On May 16, 1937, he married his school days "steady," the former Miss Grace Hoerl, of Pottstown, in the First Baptist church. Two years later, he left Moore and joined the firm of Hatfield and Shiner in the radio department, an association which lasted until 1942 when he went into the business for himself at 433½ Chestnut street.

But music was in Neiman's veins. During the Summers, he played the Jersey Beach route with Woody Leigh's orchestra and has continued to be a member of the Nichols combination since 1936.

When he gave up his business in 1948, he joined the C. J. Keiser company as radio and TV repairman, and in 1951 went with the local outlet of the Sears Roebuck chain where he is now service manager.

Through his 150-watt amateur radio station, W3MXU, he has been in contact with all the continents and with 57 countries, both by voice and code. He is secretary of the 25-member Pottstown Amateur Radio association, and carries a card with Local 211, Musicians' Protective association (AFM).

The Neiman household includes his wife, a daughter Caryl Lynne, 6; a son, Randall Alan, 3; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Moyer, and a beautiful Collie dog.

Just Couldn't Stop



—Mercury Staff Photo

The song writer who turned out "Tip-Toe Through the Tulips" might have followed it up with "Peering Through the Pansies." If anyone had told him about the 41-inch-high pansies blooming in the side yard of Mrs. Russell Prutzman (above), 726 Lincoln avenue, Mrs. Prutzman had to lengthen several of the stakes when the plants kept on climbing. Except for their height, the flowers are like regular pansies, which stay very close to the ground.

Test Pilot Is Killed When Jet Bomber Explodes in Flight

BURROWSVILLE, Aug. 14 (UPI)—One of the pioneers of faster-than-sound flight plummeted to his death today from an exploding B-45 jet bomber.

He was Test Pilot Heebert H. Hoover, a native of Knoxville, Tenn., the first man to fly the Bell X-1, an experimental prototype of present-day supersonic aircraft.

The heavy four-jet engine aircraft exploded over this southeastern Virginia community and Hoover and a companion, J. A. Harper, of Warwick, Va., bailed out.

Harper landed safely, except for a bruised shoulder. But searchers found the crumpled body of Hoover, his hand clutching the ripcord of his unopened parachute.

BOTH MEN were employed by the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics laboratory at Langley Field, Va., for which they were testing the aircraft.

Hoover said he and Hoover jumped after the first of two explosions shook the aircraft. Hoover going out first. The second blast shattered the plane and scattered its wreckage over a three-mile area.

The explosions occurred over Burrowsville, in Prince George county some 50 miles south of Richmond.

The forward part of the fuselage ploughed into the earth, digging a crater ten feet across and 20 feet deep.

Hoover was the first pilot to exceed the speed of sound in an NACA aircraft and the second to break the sonic barrier in any plane.

He had made more than a dozen such flights in all. He received the Air Force association award in 1948 for that year's most notable achievement in flight contributing to the nation's air defense.

Hoover was a graduate of the University of Tennessee and served in the Army Air Corps from 1934 to 1951. He was a member of the Air Force's first active long-range reconnaissance unit, the 18th Reconnaissance Squadron, then stationed at Mitchell Field, N. Y.

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CIO Throws Its Support Behind Drive For Presidency by Gov. Adlai Stevenson

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (UPI)—The tradition and publicly come out CIO, in a move which had been expected for some time, today threw its support behind the presidential drive of Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic candidate. In a resolution adopted by its convention before the election, the 46-man policy board, the labor change in timing is said to have organization declared "the en-trenched old guard" controls the AFL for a more active role in elections. Republican party and predicted an overwhelming November victory for Stevenson and Senator John J. Sparkman, of Alabama, his running mate.

The resolution avoided specific mention of Republican candidate Dwight D. Eisenhower. But, in an obvious countermove to Republican charges that Stevenson is a "captive candidate" of labor unions and big city political organizations, the board said:

"No (Republican) candidate, however respected and well intentioned could wrest power from the entrenched old guard who still control the Republican party."

The Stevenson endorsement, including a statement that the Democratic platform is the "most liberal, forward-looking and realistic ever adopted by any political party," marked the high spot of a three-day political parley of leaders of the CIO and its Political Action committee (PAC).

THE CIO Executive board said that if Stevenson is elected and fulfills Democratic platform pledges "we can look forward to an unfaltering continuation of the best traditions and ideals of the New Deal and the Fair Deal."

The American Federation of Labor, meanwhile, postponed for one month a decision on possible endorsement of a presidential candidate. There were reports the AFL was prepared to break a 28-year

Eagles to Open Bowling Season After Labor Day

The Eagles Home association last night announced the opening of bowling season after Labor Day.

Twenty-five members were present at the brief session with President Richard E. Lindauer in the chair.

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Norris Fancy Apricots . . .	Lrg. No. 2 1/2 Can	39c
Burnett's Vanilla Extract . . .	2-oz. Bot.	37c
Hire's Root Beer Extract . . .	16-oz. Pkg.	29c
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Sunshine Cheez-it, No. 202 . . .	Pkg.	19c

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Ladies' Aid Society Plans Peach Festival

Members of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church Ladies' Aid society will hold their annual peach and ice cream festival on Saturday, Aug. 23, in the Odd Fellows hall, 35 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown.

The ways and means committee of the society is in charge of the event, and is comprised of Mrs. Earl N. Weber, chairman, Mrs. Harry Mellinger, Mrs. Warren W. Johnson, Mrs. Daniel Landis, Mrs. Harvey Schanely and Carrie Lorah. Mrs. Samuel Horn is in charge of publicity.

Mrs. Horn said there will also be hot dogs, barbecues, coffee, soft drinks, cakes, cards, candies and a fancy table. There will also be a special booth for the children.

POLIO TOTAL RAISED

HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 (UPI)—There were 73 cases of infantile paralysis recorded by the State Health department during the past week, raising the total for the year to 213.

Boydton

EARL S. BENFIELD, Representative

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Board of Health Meets, Hears Officer's Report

The monthly meeting of the borough Board of Health was held at the home of the secretary-treasurer, Daniel A. Rohrbach, 518 East Fourth street, Boydton, with the president, Dr. John H. Waring, in charge.

The members heard the monthly report of the health officer, Harry L. Gilbert, which showed the following communicable diseases: Whooping cough, one; and measles, one.

Gilbert also reported having one complaint which he investigated and having notified the property owner, is being corrected.

Gloria Grahame Gets Divorce for Cruelty

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14 (UPI)—Shapely Gloria Grahame, 25, testified today that she lost weight because her husband was sullen and morose.

"I hurt my eating," she told Superior court. That was enough to win her a divorce, on the ground of cruelty, from Nick Ray, 40, movie director.

There was little evidence of any permanent damage. She appeared in court in a black dress as low cut as any court attaches could remember. She wore a white sweater over it, unbuckled. White gloves and a close fitting white hat studded with pearls set off the ensemble.

The actress was awarded \$300 a month for support of their son, Timothy, three, plus \$10 monthly for his education fund. She asked no alimony.

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Eddinger Tops Brief To Cop Quoit Crown In Playground Tilt

Royden Eddinger yesterday became the boys' quoit tournament champion when he defeated Lincoln Bird in the finals by scores of 21-15 and 21-13.

Prior to the finals, Eddinger had defeated William Schoeny by scores of 21-15 and 21-19. Bird had defeated Ronald Dierolf by scores of 21-14 and 21-16.

The tournament, a part of the Summer playground activities being conducted on the Washington grade school grounds, had started earlier this week with an original entry of 16 boys.

In the initial playoffs:

Royden Eddinger defeated Larry Peck, 21-15, 21-19; William Schoeny, 21-15, 21-19; William Schoeny defeated Larry Miller, 21-8, 21-15; Randall Berky Miller, 21-8, 21-15; Randall Berky Miller, 21-8, 21-15; Randall Berky Miller, 21-8, 21-15; Robert Schoeny was defeated by Roy Schoeny, 21-15, 21-19; Roy Schoeny defeated Ralph Boner, 21-16, 22-20, 23-14; Ronald Dierolf defeated William Gabel, 21-12, 21-14; and Robert Mauser defeated Darrell Bechtel, 21-8, 21-12.

Eddinger was awarded against Mench and defeated him by scores of 21-19, 21-15; William Schoeny defeated Berky, 21-12, 21-14; Bird defeated Roos, 22-19, 22-18; and Dierolf defeated Mauser, 23-20, and 21-15.

Today will mark the final day of the eight weeks of activities at the playground which was under the direction of Harry I. Gilbert and Mrs. Louise K. Nyce. Janice Quigley has been in charge of the crafts program.

Stephen Foster, creator of such American folk songs as "My Old Kentucky Home" and "Old Folks at Home", was born on the same day that both Presidents John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died—July 4, 1826.

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Boyertown Group Attends Rosedale Camp Meetings

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The Rev. H. I. Carmichael and wife, Mrs. Delilia Brown, Mrs. Ada Hallman and daughter, Anna and Mrs. Philip R. Schulz and family are those attending.

The past Sunday afternoon, the Trinity Sunday school held the Sunday school hour with H. David Fegley presiding. The lesson discussion was in charge of Ralph Y. West.

RED HILL

Mrs. Calvin Reed, corr. Phone Pennsylvania 2334, Dale Miller, del. Phone Pennsylvania 4672.

The Upper Perkiomen Valley Girl Scout council will sponsor a concert by the Red Hill band under the direction of Oliver K. Berndt on Main street on Sunday night, from 7 to 11 p.m. in the New Goshenhoppen park, East Greenville. The refreshments will be operated throughout the day by members of the Girl Scout council. A fishing pond for the children will be featured also.

Pvt. William Brey is spending a ten-day furlough at his home on Aug. 20. He will return to the State of Washington for a new assignment.

Mrs. Horatio Brey, Main street, is on the sick list. Aug. 20 she will celebrate her 83 birthday anniversary.

Today, Mr. Hiram Brey Sr., and

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LINFIELD

Mrs. Mary Clemens, car Robert Quinn, del. Phone Linfield 2281.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ahlum have returned from a ten-day trip to Niagara Falls, Thousand Islands, North Bay, and Canada.

Mrs. Dorothy Martin and son Glenn of Trooper, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Jackson of Norristown and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Daub spent a few days in their cabin at Promised Land lake.

Mrs. Larry Stepp, who has been confined as a surgical patient in the Bryn Mawr hospital for two weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. Henry Kulp and children of Delaware Water Gap are spending a week with her father, Mr. G. Edgar Brant. Mr. Kulp is on a business trip to Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Ahlum recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary. They were the honored guests at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ahlum. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hammel, son Drex, and daughter Gina. Mr. Edgar Ahlum observed his birthday Aug. 7.

Elizabeth Meyers, Mrs. Hannah Hutt and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Clemens visited Phoenixville and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stuerly at Rahns recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bear and sons of Merchantville, N. J., are spending a week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bear.

Lt. Richard Reichman, who has been stationed at the air base Dover, Del., will be stationed at an air base in Fairbanks, Alaska. Lt. Reichman is making the trip by auto to San Francisco and from there to Fairbanks by boat.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Byndas and son visited their son Pvt. Thomas Byndas at Aberdeen, Md.

Mrs. Lena Peroni of Pottstown spent a day with Pvt. and Mr. Peter Peroni. Pvt. Peroni was home on a few days leave from Cherry Point, N.C.

Mr. and Mrs. William Marshall and daughter Joan Louise have returned home from a two-week stay at Ship's Bottom, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Brownback, Miss Betty Brownback, Miss Elizabeth Meyers and Mr. George Brant recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rossiter at Newtown.

Mrs. Dale Schut and sons Dale and Jeffrey, Mrs. C. Clemens and Mrs. H. K. Hutt recently attended the Hutt family reunion held at Old Goshenhoppen Grove, Voxall.

FAGLEYSVILLE

Mrs. Dorothy Geisler, corr. phone Fagley 1-3343. Mrs. E. D. Bergfeld, del.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lester of Illinois, Maude Lester, and friend of Norristown and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clymer called on Herbert B. Wagner and family recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seasholtz attended the funeral of a sister-in-law, Mrs. John Seasholtz, in Reading.

William H. Wagner of Glenside was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles York and family.

Fred York and Billy Greiner accompanied Mr. Lyman Detwiler on a fishing trip to Portland, Md.

Dorothy Burns and Mrs. Effie Hetrick spent several days in Richmond, Va.

Luther Hetrick was a visitor for some time with his daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans of Millerton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowman and family of California called on Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hetrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Landis and Mr. and Mrs. Granville Clouse of Pottstown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Haldeman of Line Lexington recently.

Mrs. Carlos Webster and family and Mr. Edward McFarland and family are spending some time with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Seasholtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Seasholtz accompanied the Montgomery County Guernsey Breeders association on their tour to Augusta, N.Y.

Fred York is spending a week at Camp Belmont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geisler and Herbert B. Wagner motoring to Annapolis and crossed the new Chesapeake Bay bridge.

GREEN LANE

Mrs. Otto Derr, corr. Phone Raymond 2558. W. Wilson Meyer, del. Phone Raymond 2519.

The employees of the Green Lane Hosiery company held their annual clam bake at the local park the past Saturday. Adam Kramik provided the amplified music. The bake was prepared by Edward Imbody of Green Lane.

Dolores Simmons and Loretta Derr will celebrate their 15th birthday anniversaries this week.

The Red Hill band will play on Aug. 24 their last performance this summer at Montgomery county park, Green Lane.

Dorothy Geiger returned home from Quakertown hospital on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nestler visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Schenke in Strafford on Sunday.

Mrs. George Shewell Sr. and Mrs. P. Supplee spent a week at Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Van Fossen and son Allen, of Pennsauken, N.J., Mrs. Ethel Hoffinger of Camden, N.J., and Sallie and Sarah Allebach of Skippack, are spending several days with the Bill Van Fossen family.

Pauline Bennett spent Sunday at the roadside of America.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Menholt called on their daughter and son-in-law of Souderton on Sunday.

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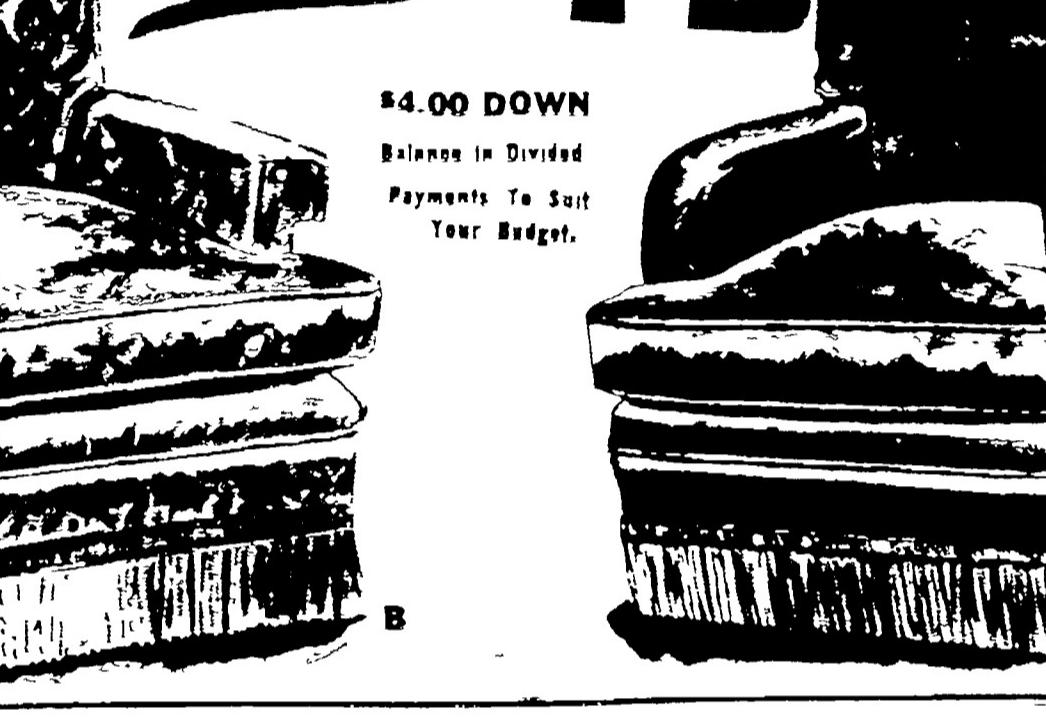
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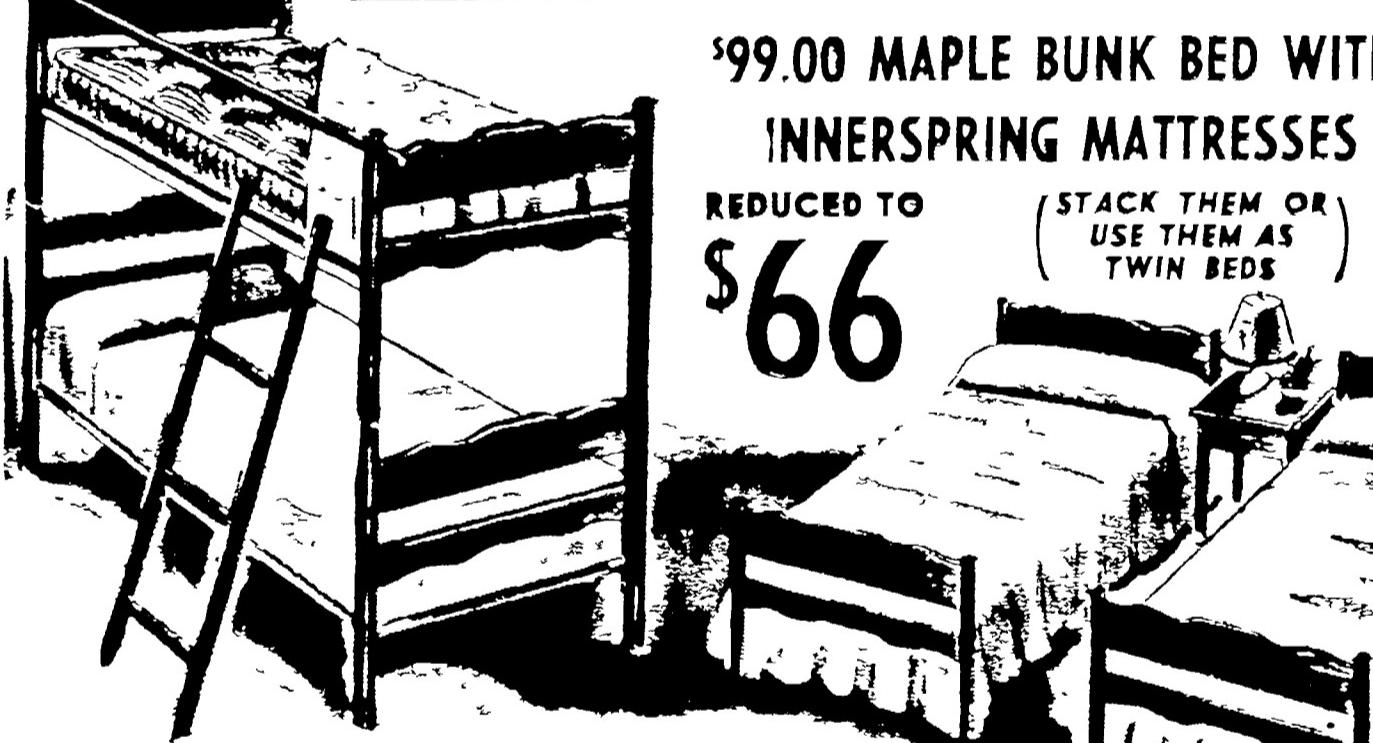
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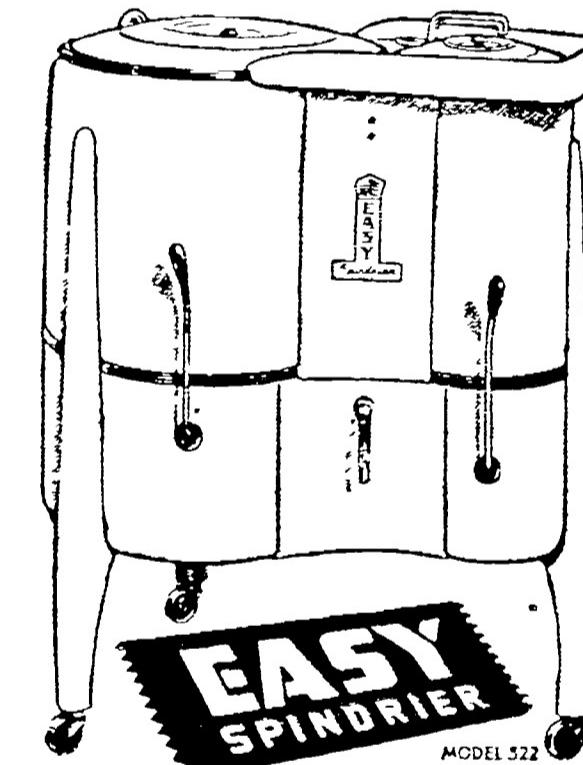
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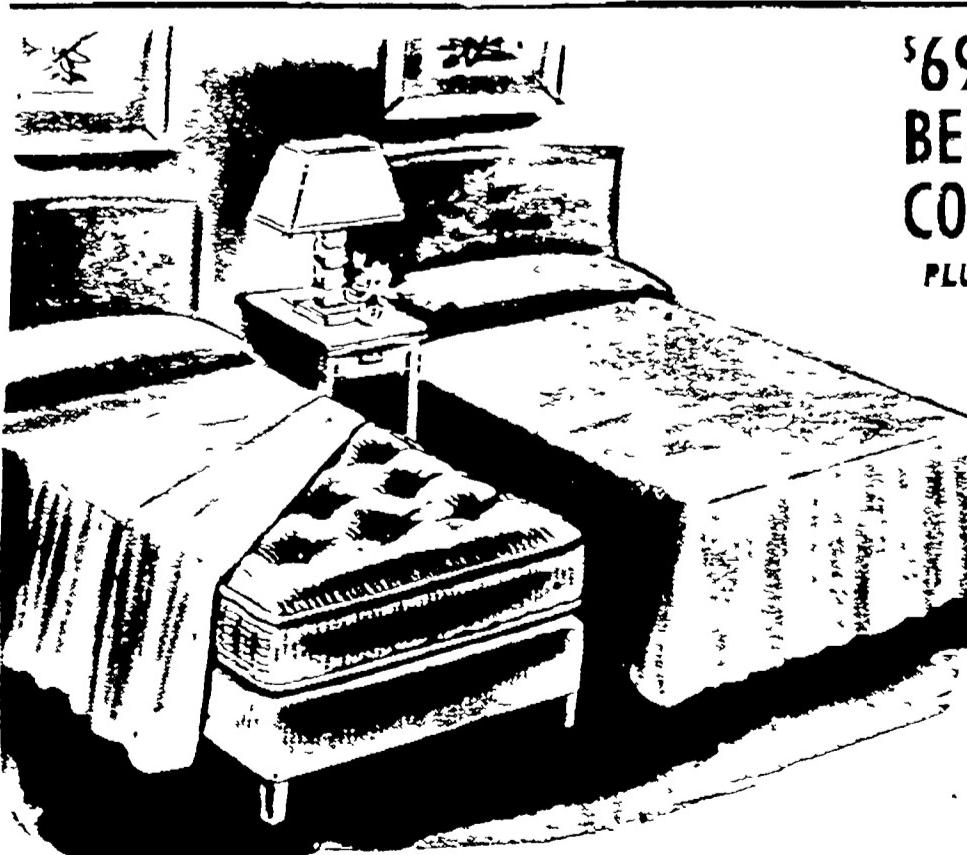
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Truck and 2 Autos Damaged in Wreck On Hanover Street

A truck and two autos were damaged in front of 63 North Hanover street yesterday afternoon at 12:45 o'clock.

The truck, driven by Harry W. Picdell, Pottstown RD 3, struck a coupe pulling out of a parking spot in front of that address and pushed it into a parked sedan.

George Makarevitz, Pottstown RD 3, was driving his car out of the parking space. The parked car belonged to Andy Billy, 293 Logan street.

Picdell told Patrolman Thomas W. Corum that he was going south on Hanover street and saw the coupe pull out from the curb on the west side of Hanover street.

"I tried to cut to the left but I could not avoid hitting him," Picdell said.

Makarevitz reported that he was pulling out from the curb when the truck struck his car and pushed it into the parked vehicle.

THE TRUCK, which belonged to the Rival Brothers company, 430 South street, was damaged on the right rear wheel and tire.

The left front fender and wheel were bent.

The entire left side of Billy's sedan was scraped and the left rear widow spider kills about 5 percent of its known victims.

CAR ROLLS OVER —

(Continued From Page One) took off her shoe and knocked some of the broken glass away from the shattered windshield and she and the boys crawled through the opening.

One of the boys told her to go home and a passing motorist took her.

The sedan, which belonged to Sheetz's brother, Emerson, of the same address, had scratches all over its body, and the top and the left side were badly dented. All of the glass on the left side was shattered.

Truck, Horse Fall
Send 2 to Hospital

Falls from a truck and a horse sent a Pughtown man and a Pottstown RD 1 youth to Pottstown hospital late yesterday afternoon.

Frederick Mack, 22, was admitted to the hospital with abrasions of the left side of his chest after he fell from a truck, owned by a mineral water company. Whether or not his injuries are more extensive will be determined today.

The boy, Frederick Stoudt, 14, was admitted shortly after with a leg injury suffered when he either was thrown by or fell from a horse he was riding. The exact nature

The left front fender and wheel were bent.

The poisonous bite of the black widow spider kills about 5 percent of its known victims.

Skidding Did This



—Mercury Staff Photo

This 1951 sedan operated by Linwood Gehris, 20, of Barto RD 1, skidded into a culvert at an intersection in Morysville at 8:30 o'clock last night. Gehris was traveling toward Boyertown on Route 362, when he increased his speed to pass another car near Route 100. Another car was waiting at the intersection to make a right turn, and Gehris applied his brakes suddenly to avoid hitting it. His sedan skidded into a culvert, hitting a guard rail. Gehris backed the car out of the culvert, with the aid of several bystanders. He reported only minor damage to the bumper.

Hemlock Row Petition Station Wagon Collides With Sedan on Rt. 29

(Continued From Page One) crowded conditions in their homes to have those persons living with them apply to Edmund J. Koser, executive director of the county Housing authority, for quarters in the nearby project.

"He told me," Prince said, "that you should do that and he would do whatever he could to help you. He has to take the most severe cases first, he said, and I can only take his word that he will try to help you."

Dozier stated that the "Ninth ward has been neglected" by the borough that "I was surprised by a reliable source that this street was to be put in here, but it hasn't been."

The Mercury aided the little group of home owners and others living on what formerly was known as Cottage row in April, 1950, when it supported them editorially in their protests to the Montgomery County Housing authority over its intention to raze their homes for a housing project.

After a two and a half weeks' battle, the authority relocated the site of the project which now is near completion between the two rows.

COTTAGE ROW has been designated Prince street and Hemlock purposes," Dozier continued. "Other streets have been in bad shape. Those attending the meeting in Pottstown and they last night said they want a "proper have been fixed."

"You paid your hard-earned money for these homes and they are reported in Norristown for tax purposes," Dozier said. "We're here to help them obtain the facilities they seek, told the residents:

"We (he and Dozier a NAACP representative) aren't here to kick somebody around. We're here to help you get better living conditions. You're only asking for the things you deserve."

The Rev. O. T. Garlington, 33, Hemlock row, an evangelist, said he told Tax Collector Thomas L. Rutter two years ago when the minister was seeking the facilities all the resident now want that, "We don't have anything up there to pay taxes for."

With respect to the lack of garbage collection by the borough, Julia Douglas, 45, Hemlock row, asserted, "We don't have any garbage collection by the borough yet." The only collection is what we pay (a private collector) for."

PRINCE WARNED the residents the facilities they seek are "going to require a certain amount of finance, you understand?" They said they did and were willing to bear whatever expense would be necessary.

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Waiting Turn



Fawn at right is attended by mother as twin brother enjoys meal at Audubon Park zoo, New Orleans. Multiple births among captive deer are said to be rare.

Red Boss New Head of Hungary

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Aug. 14 (UPI)—Ronai was elected the new speaker—Communist boss Matyas Rakosi of Parliament. Ronai has been the became premier of this Soviet orbit last representative of the former nation today. A sudden shift of Social Democrats to remain pro job made the behind-the-scenes went in Hungarian political life. leader the legal director of Hungary.

WHEN THE shift was accomplished in plished, and Rakosi formally in a specially called, one-day session augurated as premier, the Com- of the National assembly. The munis: fear made a speech in Parliament elected him by ac which he said the changes will not clamation. The ovation lasted eight in any way effect the domestic or foreign policies of Hungary.

Istvan Dobi, who had been premier and a one-time member of the Smallholders party, formally resigned. He then was given the job of president of Parliament's presidium, the executive body which sits when Parliament is not in session. This makes him the president—a figurehead position—of the country.

"We remain loyal and resolute guardians of the peace camp and the Hungarian people are ready to serve it

with words and deeds," he said.

Dobi and Ronai both attended the session. Like Rakosi, they were garbed in sombra black, looking on this hottest day of Hun- gary's Summer.

HUNGARY'S PARLIAMENT, elected under Communist direction on a single ticket in 1949, usually meets only twice a year for a few days each time, to approve the budget and whatever other measures are submitted by the Communist administration.

Dobi, the new president, had been premier since December, 1948. The 54 year-old former land less peasant was a leading member of the now defunct Smallholder party, the country's dominant party until the arrival of the Communists.

At the present time, the former Smallholders have only one post in the Hungarian Government which has 23 cabinet ministries plus the premier and minister of state. Two of the ministers are of the National Peasant party which has little meaning here today. For all practical purposes, parties other than the Communist do no exist in Hungary.

The Social Democrats, of which Ronai had been a member, merged with the Communists in 1948. By that time, most of the right wing Social Democrats had escaped from Hungary. Thereafter, left wing members who supported the merger one by one disappeared in the course of several purges.

The shift in Hungary's Govern- ment appears to have been dictated by Moscow as part of its new policy for all its satellite countries. Elimination of non-Communist elements in the governments and full and open control by the Communist party.

The shift resembles a similar shakeup in Romania recently.

Mother Charges Aunt Kept Tot From Doctor

WETUMPKA, Ala., Aug. 14 (UPI)—The mother of a poisoned child testified today that the middle-aged nurse who has admitted killing her tried to keep the tot away from a doctor after she became ill.

Mrs. Cora Belle Weldon, whose 2-year-old daughter died suddenly given to her by Mrs. Dennisson and violently the past May 1, was when she suggested taking the first witness called in the mur- der trial of Mrs. Earle Dennisson, and more violent vomiting spell

the child's aunt Mrs. Dennisson is charged with killing blonde, curly-haired Shirley Dianne Weldon and also with giving a fatal dose of arsenic to another Weldon girl, Polly Ann, two and a half years before.

She is on trial now, however,

from a doctor after she became ill.

Mrs. Dennisson told the all-male jury that the baby became ill twice after swallowing soft drinks and violently the past May 1, was when she suggested taking the first witness called in the mur- der trial of Mrs. Earle Dennisson, and more violent vomiting spell

the mother related. Mrs. Dennisson tried to dissuade her with the ex- planation that the child merely had "an upset stomach."

LAKWOOD, Calif., Aug. 14 (UPI)—About 80 million people live on the approximately 3000 islands of found some left-over house paint and turned it into life-sized Ha-

wain murals on their garage. Both girls, Jeanette Wallace and Pat Brehm, are art students and their handwork has received numerous compliments.

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On Their Way to Church Gathering



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Members of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church are shown leaving in a caravan of six private cars for the annual district camp meeting held at Rosedale Grove last night. The church had the fifth largest delegation — 39 persons — at the service, which had a total attendance of 1400 denomination members. The Rev. Donald T. Floyd, pastor, read the scripture and led the prayers at the session. (Story on Page 1).

Furnishings Gone From White House Sadden President

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—President Truman said today it is a shame that so many of the original White House furnishings are gone—given away in one instance, he said, and apparently auctioned off in another.

"It is tragic what has happened to the wonderful old pieces of furniture which were bought by the early Presidents," Truman wrote a correspondent. "Except for the Blue room suite there is not a single stick of that original furniture left."

"I've been told, although I have no documents to prove it, that one of the presidents cleaned out the attic of the White house and had an auction on the Pennsylvania avenue side and scattered many wonderful antique pieces from one end of the country to the other, and they can't be found."

Truman mentioned no names, but an old newspaper account says that on April 15, 1882, during the administration of Chester A. Arthur, "22 wagon loads of furniture and other household articles were sold at public auction."

TRUMAN SET forth his views in a letter, which he made public at his news conference, to Junius B. Wood, a local newspaper correspondent. Wood had written Truman a letter about the White house furnishings, and Truman told him, "you apparently are interested just as I am, in the White house."

As for the old furnishings which were sold or given away, the President wrote:

"It is like the chandeliers in the east room. All three of the original chandeliers are down in the capitol. I tried to get these chandeliers back and put them where they were before McKim, Meade and White and Teddy Roosevelt gave them away."

The New York firm of McKim, Meade and White supervised a White house remodeling job in 1902, in the Theodore Roosevelt administration.

"I HAD three monstrosities that replaced the beautiful chandeliers remodeled and they do not look quite as terrible as they did before the house was renovated," Truman said.

The President, who was displaying obvious pride in the recent remodeling job on the executive mansion, disclosed that one small phase of it didn't please him.

"We have the Lincoln bed, dresser and full length mirror in mahogany which were apparently made especially for Lincoln," he wrote. "There is a little marble top table in the Lincoln room which is supposed to have been the piece on which he signed the Emancipation Proclamation."

"I found four of Lincoln's chairs in the attic of the Treasury building with part of them broken and the upholstery mouse eaten. I had them reupholstered in the colors which were supposed to have been used in the Lincoln cabinet room."

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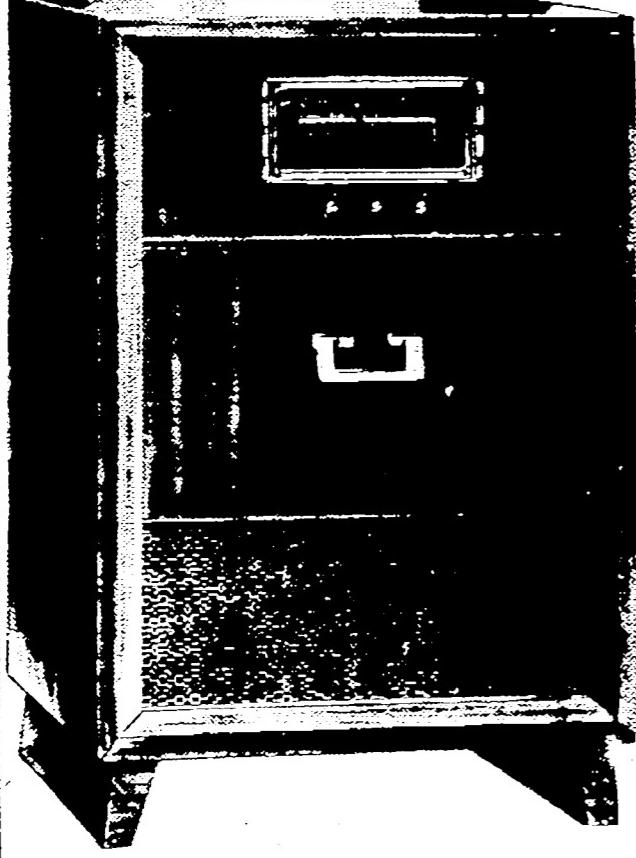
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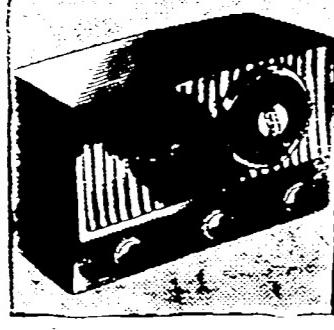
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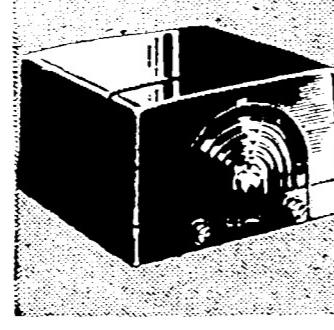
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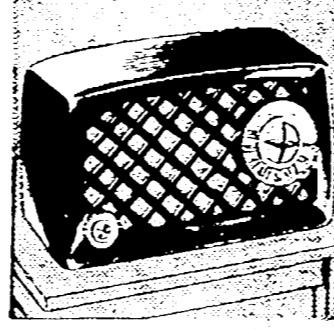


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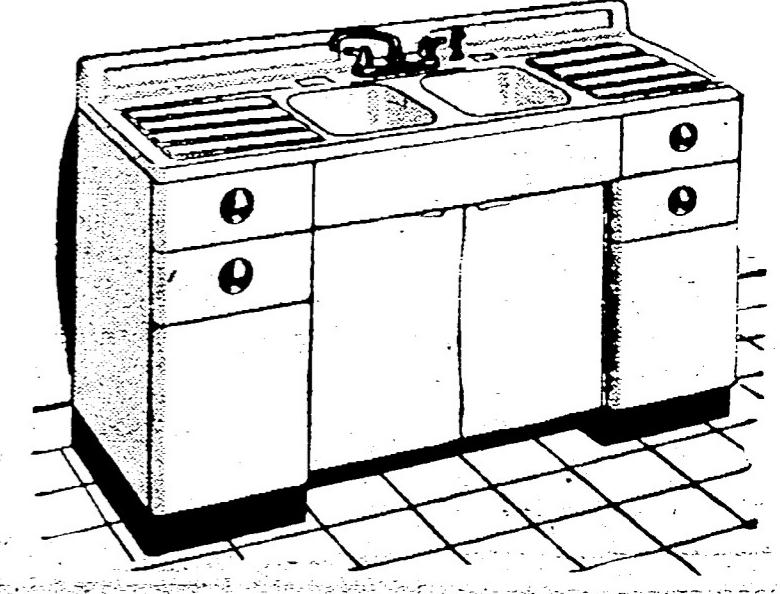
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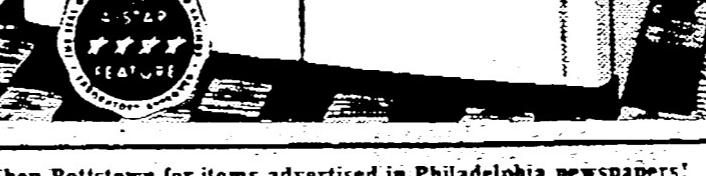
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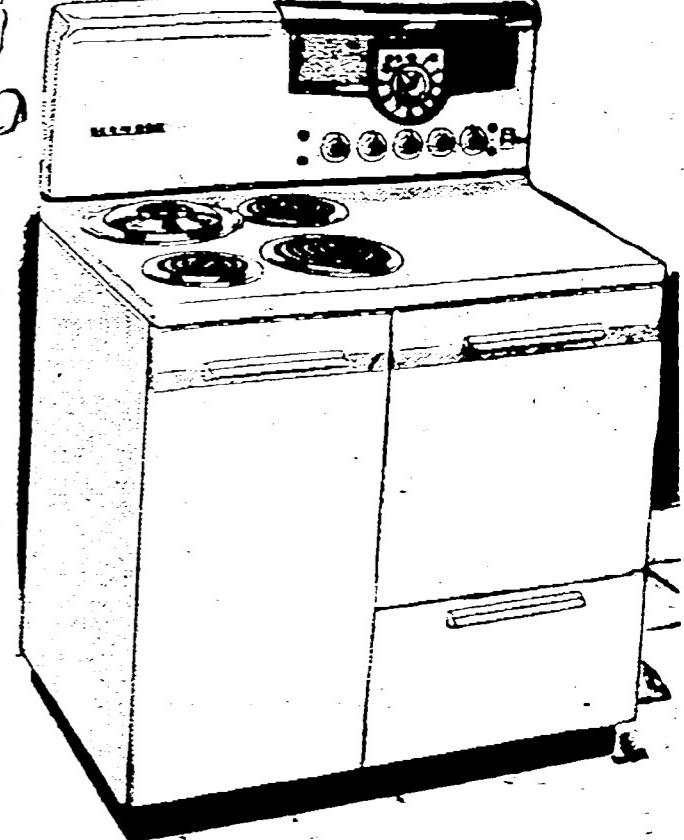
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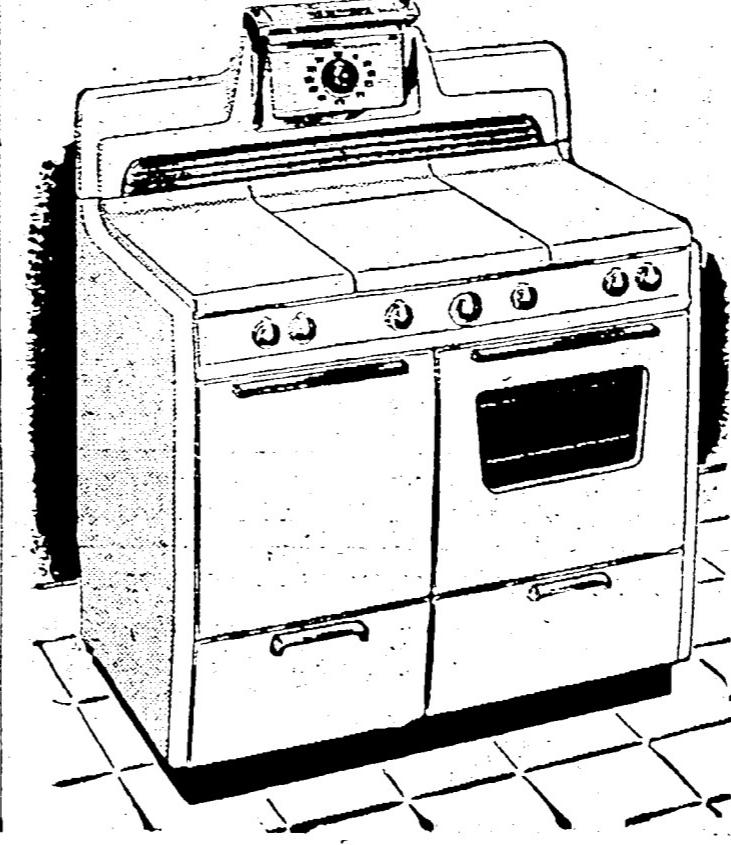
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Flower Show Divisions Are Named by Auxiliary

Divisions for the fourth annual flower show to be sponsored by the Ladies' auxiliary of Kimberton Fire company in the fire hall, Sept. 6, were announced last night by the committee.

The affair will be held from 3 to 9 o'clock.

Committee members, Mrs. William Davis, chairman, Mrs. John Smiley, Mrs. James Frazer, Miss Ida Zollers, Mrs. Harry Davis and Mrs. Richard Asa, revealed that ribbons will be given for first, second and third place. A grand prize will be given to the exhibitor with the most points in children's and adult's groups.

ALL FLOWERS must be grown by the exhibitor, all specimens must be in mason jars, all exhibits must be in the fire hall by noon of Sept. 6, no person shall have more than one exhibit in any class and all containers must be provided by the exhibitor, according to the rules.

The following divisions have been specified:

Division one — specimen: class one, asters; six double or single; class two, six cosmos; class three, marigolds; six of large single, large double, small single or small double types; class four, petunias, six of either single or double.

CLASS FIVE, zinnias, six large single, large double, small single or small double types; class six, three coxcomb, class seven: one or three roses; class eight: three delphinium; class nine: six sea biosa; class ten: dahlia, one large flowered, three pompon, three cactus or three annual specimens; George Mutter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mutter, of Pennsburg, on leader, also was present.

Miss Elaine Shenberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Shenberger, Washington street, Red Hill, was foled recently at a bridal Christman, Anna Mae Barnard, Barbara Johnson, Barbara Heft, Barbara Shaner and Diane and Linda Sandquist.

She will become the bride of Mr. Richard Mutter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mutter, of Pennsburg, on leader, also was present.

Gifts were found at the end of ten arrangements: artistic arm from a white bell which hung from arrangement of zinnias in kitchen ceiling. Refreshments were container; arrangement of shades served to the guests.

At a recent shower given by Mrs. Paul Callow, 32 North Evans street, for her sister, Miss Esther Renninger, guests were asked to bring a favorite recipe or house set for two for luncheon (no flat ware); arrangement of white flowers in white container; arrangement of vegetables in any type Mrs. Nelson Richard, Miss Betty Reimann, Miss Patricia Loyer and Miss Patricia Scheir, Miss Mary Mutter and Miss Jeanette Moll.

Birthday Social Is Held By Women of Moose

A birthday social was held after the business meeting by the Women of Moose last night in the Moose hall.

Mrs. Eleanor Clark and Mrs. August Kelly were honored at the birthday social. Hostesses were Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Elsie Beekley, Mrs. Stella Gonder Horner and Mrs. Helena Nissimer.

Mrs. Henry Frech was appointed by the group to purchase new electric mixer for the church kitchen.

A sewing kit brought by Miss Ruth Wisler and was won by Mrs. Charles Mauger.

Mrs. Charles Shomo read the treasurer's report.

After refreshments were served the meeting was adjourned.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, Sept. 2.

Those present were: Mrs. Shomo, Mrs. Mauger, Mrs. Frech, Mrs. Walter Reed, Mrs. William Mauger, Miss Wisler and Mrs. Fred White.

Auxiliary Meeting Held In New Good Will Hall

Because of the Lady Reindeer convention starting Sunday in New York, the regular meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the Good Will Fire company was held two weeks early, last night at 8 o'clock, in the club's new home, 700 High street.

Social time and refreshments, served by Mrs. Helen Smoyer and her committee, followed the business meeting. Pigs in the box donated by Mrs. Cora Takach, Mrs. Viola Arch, Mrs. Margaret Necker, and Mrs. Helen Hall, were won by Mrs. Arch, Mrs. Ada Beekley, Mrs. Necker, and Mrs. Ruth Levingood.

The special, won by Mrs. Beekley, was donated by Mrs. Necker.

In addition to the winners mentioned above, Mrs. Lillian Ginder president; Mrs. Elsie Shaner, Mrs. Thelma Somogyi, Mrs. Iris Yager, Mrs. Florence Richtmeyer, and Mrs. Lily Boucher were present.

Sports Auxiliary Plans For Future Clam Bake

The business meeting of the Ladies' auxiliary of the Fine Force Sportsman club last night in the club house, was short.

There was discussion of plans for another clam bake, but no definite date was set.

Social games and activities were begun after Mrs. Clare Levingood president, closed the meeting. It was she who donated the pig-in-the-box won by Mrs. Violet Renninger.

The guessing jar, donated by Mrs. Louise Trainer, was given to Mrs. Catherine Weller. The ladies then played cards.

Use left-over material to preserve your stockings. By sewing two squares or two circles together and adding a pull-string, you can have a neat, attractive bag in which to place your stockings. This keeps them from catching on splinters of wood inside the drawer.

Woman's Page

CLUB NEWS

WEDDINGS

This Is Just the Beginning!



—Mercury Staff Photo

No necks were broken in the rush for roasted corn last night when members of Girl Scout Troop 4 of Grace Lutheran church met for a corn roast at the home of their leader, Miss Mildred Geist, Ringing Hill, but the youngsters managed to devour four dozen ears of the food. Getting their share are (above, left to right), Barbara Heft, Kathleen Shaner, Anita Shaner and Diane Sandquist.

Willing Workers' Class Meets in Houck Home

sent by Mrs. Adeline Houck and Cord, and a visitor, Mrs. Erma Butler.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Rose Hertzler, Pottstown RD 2.

The Willing Workers class of the Pine Swamp Evangelical church held its monthly meeting at 8 o'clock to the following guests: Mrs. Mrs. Helen Houck, Virginia Boller, Mrs. Sally Care, Miss Jean Czarnian, Mrs. Myrtle Hartman, Miss Carrie Hartman, with a Scripture reading, Mrs. Nora James, Miss Dorothy Boller led the group in Sheeler, Mrs. Mary Fiersler, Mrs. Dorothy Boller led the group in Sheeler, Mrs. Mary Fiersler, Mrs. Jessie Mc

Cook, hostess, and givers of gifts were as follows: Miss Mildred Jones, Mrs. Jane Reichman, Mrs. Mabel Claur, Shirley, and Mrs. Wilmer Renninger, Helen Grebe, Barbara and Mrs. Irene Wentzel.

Plans were made for the church

Plans were made for the church lawn.

Plans for the winter season bazaar to be held Sept. 3 and 6 on

One project will be to the church lawn.

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Vacationing With Mercury Readers

By THE VACATION EDITOR of The Mercury Staff
in Pottsville. We're enjoying our vacation here in North Wildwood, N.J., writes. "I am having a nice time down here (Mays Landing, N.J.) at the American Sunbathing association convention. The weather is nice and warm and the water is fine."

Singing Tower lighthouse at Lenape park, Mays Landing, N.J.



Lenape Park, Mays Landing, N.J.

MRS. FREDERIC BUSHONG wrote The Mercury vacation editor that she is "Enjoying a lovely vacation in Florida where there is a nice breeze all of the time."

The skyline of St. Petersburg and Mirror lake are in the color photograph on the front of the card.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK KISS JR., and their daughter, Randy, 16 High street, and Barbara Ward are bathing in the warm water at Rehoboth beach, Del.

Early morning bicyclists are vacationing in Los Angeles, Calif., riding on a deserted boardwalk in front of the Belhaven hotel in the sunrise photo of the resort.

KENNETH FINE AND family, 829 North Franklin street, and Jo- sephine Tascione and family, 53 Hill-top road, say, "Hello to our friends pictured on the front of the card."

BECHTELSSVILLE

Miss Pauline Ebst, corr. Ronald Gerhardt, del.

A scavenger hunt followed the business discussion at a meeting of Girl Scout Troop 21 in the home of their leader, Miss Marie Ebst. Those present were: Rosalie Brooke, Rosalie Shiner, Eleanor Zern, Fay Moser, Frances Mauger, Tina Kari, Clare Bauer, Ruth Ann Biery, Barbara Fronheiser, Anna Reichert, Anna Gilbert and Arline Gabel.

Seminarian Richard Schaeffer will conduct Lutheran services in Memorial hospital at 4:15 o'clock Trinity Union church on Sunday to close the wound. The 16-year-old girl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Brown.

PACE VISITS TURKEY ANKARA, Turkey, Aug. 14 (AP) — Frank Pace, U.S. Secretary of the Army arrived here today from out of doors, and a dogie roast Yugoslavia on his tour of countries will follow. Members are receiving U.S. military aid.

General Greets Hero's Daughter



Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, gets acquainted with Veronica Maihafer, 2½, after presenting her father, Capt. Harry J. Maihafer, of Syracuse, N.Y., with the Silver Star. He was one of five Korean veterans who received the medal for "gallantry in action against the enemy" at a retreat parade ceremony on Governors Island, N.Y. The event also commemorated the 34th anniversary of the establishment of the First Army.

Dr. Friedberg Talked

Speaker before the Pottsville Kiwanis club Tuesday night was Dr. Elmer S. Friedberg, optometrist, not Dr. Harold C. Baumana, optometrist, as erroneously reported to The Mercury by a Kiwanis club spokesman.

Australian bushmen eat various types of raw insect larvae, says the National Geographic Society.

LOCAL NOTICES

Due to illness I will have no office hours until further notice. Dr. Elinor Hadra.

Golden Jubilee and White Cumberland Peaches. Rhoads' Fruit Farm, North State street.

No office hours till further notice. Dr. Arthur Mann, 62 N. Hanover. My office will be closed from Aug. 18 to Sept. 2. Dr. R. H. Merckel.



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quested to meet at the firehouse at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Erb, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Conrad, Lorraine Conrad and Sylvia Kuser spent the weekend in Wildwood, N.J.

SCHWENKSVILLE GIRL GETS 6 STITCHES; FELL FROM BIKE Josephine Brown, Schwenkville RD 1, suffered a deep cut of the left knee yesterday afternoon when she fell from her bicycle near her home.

Six sutures were required at York visiting Mrs. Lillian Davis. Phillips has pleaded guilty to a charge in the shooting of the young people of the Eden Mennonite church of Schwenkville Martin W. Crain in an unsuccessful \$17,000 payroll holdup at the Meeting House Sunday evening. Feely Brick company here the past April 4.

The judges said a verbal order had been issued at the beginning of the hearing the past week forbidding pictures. They added the picture was published in the Latrobe Bulletin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hasson and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Woodward spent Wednesday deep sea fishing at Forked River, N.J.

DR. R. R. GRESH WILL BE THEIR GUEST. Mrs. Clarence Renninger and daughters spent a week at Atlantic City, New Jersey.

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RIOT TOLL MOUNTS PORT ALEGRE, Brazil, Aug. 14 (AP) — The riot toll in the port of Rio Grande rose to four today when a youth wounded in Tuesday's demonstrations against high prices died in the hospital.

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BEATRICE FAIRFAX'S

Advice to the Lovelorn

Is Life Pointless Unmarried?

I would be the last one to deny communities, there are all sorts that marriage is the most important objective in any normal girl's life. But I do not believe that if a young woman fails of this objective she should sit moaning in sack cloth and ashes all the rest of her days. Unfortunately, that seems to be exactly what many of them do.

One who appears to be well on the way to her own sack cloth and ashes is the girl who writes me as follows:

"Three years ago, at the age of 17, I became engaged. After a year of our engagement my boy friend broke it off, merely saying he didn't love me any more. He didn't give me any other reason. I was so broken up that I had a nervous breakdown. Although it's over two years now since this happened I am still in love with this boy and can't forget him, and I would like to know how I can go about getting him back, because I believe that deep down he still loves me as much as I love him. A very close friend of his told me not long ago that he does love me."

"Then recently I met a fellow who is in service, and he told me he was in love with me and asked me to marry him. Without thinking, I told him I loved him, too, and said yes to his proposal. We were planning our wedding, when he fell out of love with me and broke our engagement, just like the other fellow. He wrote me a letter in which he said that if he finds he misses me very much while he's overseas, he will know I am the girl he wants. I am not in love with this boy, but I would marry him."

"Please tell me what to do, as I am very miserable."

First I would like to tell this young woman a few things not to do. For one thing, she should never think of marrying the second man or anybody else with whom she is not in love. If she were to do such a thing, she would probably soon find herself far more miserable than she is now.

Another thing she'd better not do is to bank on this serviceman finding out that she's the girl he wants. Anyhow, hasn't she too much pride to let him put her on trial like that and passively await his verdict?

A third thing not to do is to try and revive that first romance. If the young man is still in love with her, as she seems to feel sure he is—or is she merely trying to kid herself?—let him make the first advances.

Now for some things she should do.

The first of these, of course, is to stop telling herself how miserable she is. If she has the strength of character to stop dwelling constantly on her misery, it will gradually grow less, while if she keeps reminding herself of it, it will increase. Or perhaps she enjoys wallowing in self-pity.

Next, she should pick out something to do—a job, a hobby, a community project—and preferably the latter to start with, since the quickest way to get over feeling sorry for oneself is to do something for somebody else. Incidentally, there's lots of work for volunteers in veterans' hospitals these days which, naturally, would bring her in touch with many young men of her own age. Who knows? One of them might make her forget the two who have disappointed her so badly.

If she hasn't a hobby already, I suggest that she look into the possibilities and pick one out. In most

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Doggie Roast Is Enjoyed By German Club Women

A doggie roast was held by the Ladies' auxiliary of the German club after the business meeting last night at the club hall.

Mrs. Mildred Stahl, president, presided at the business meeting.

Mrs. Josephine Paschedag read the secretary's report and Mrs. Marian Marquardt, vice president, gave the treasurer's report in the absence of the regular treasurer. The flower fund report was given by Mrs. Ethel Betz.

If she has a job, is it one she really likes? And if not, how about finding something which would engage her whole heart and soul?

The times we live in are full of things to do that can take such a person as this young woman out of herself and give her a whole new outlook on life. Anyone who stays miserable these days, does it from choice.

And finally, one of the chief reasons for taking part in lots of activities with lots of other people is because it develops personality and will turn her into a more interesting individual in her own right. And a really interesting them. If you have a coal bin in the cellar you can build shelves is rarely long overlooked by near the top where there is no coal.

Cosmetics for Little Girls



A little girl feels grown-up when she has her own toiletries. There's nothing like bubble bath for wash-up time glamour. If you have a little girl in your family whose birthday is approaching, and you are wondering what you can give her that will send her into a state of joy and rapture, look over cosmetic offerings made especially for children.

CLEAN COFFEEPOD

You can't expect to make good coffee in a grimy coffee pot. The inside should be wiped with a soapy cloth. A well-soaped percolator brush will get into spouts and tubes of electric coffee pots which cannot be soaked.

Let water run from the faucet for a few minutes before you fill the pot when making coffee for a better flavor and don't forget the rule of one tablespoon of coffee for each cup of water, and an extra tablespoon of coffee for the pot.

Try this for a refreshing summer salad. Dissolve a package of lemon flavored gelatin in a 12-ounce can of apricot whole fruit nectar that has been heated to just below boiling. Then add two tablespoons of lemon juice and one half cup ungrated crushed pineapples. When almost set add one slice of banana. Turn into mold and chill until serving time.

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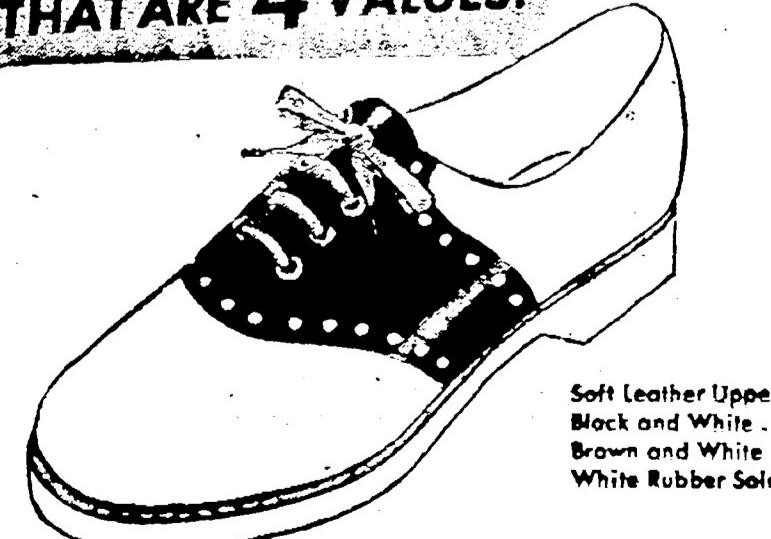
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Vows Pledged in Brief Rites for Eden-Churchill

By ALVIN STEINKOPF

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The bride's uncle, Winston Churchill, beamed cherubically in signing the register as chief witness, bringing into his family the man who some day may become his successor as leader of the Conservative party—and perhaps as Prime Minister.

Thousands of cheering well-wishers milled around in the bright noon sun outside Claxton hall where civil marriages are performed daily in assembly line fashion as the bridal party entered and as it departed five minutes later for a private wedding break fast at Churchill's official residence 10 Downing street.

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9	Jack Pyle	Herb's Harvey	LeRoy Miller	Nate
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11	Jack Pyle	Jack Pyle News	LeRoy Miller	Concert
12	News	Music	LeRoy Miller	News Mac
1	Jack Pyle	Patricia Sears	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
2	News	Music	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
3	Jack Pyle	News	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
4	News	Music	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
5	Jack Pyle	Breakfast Club	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
6	Buddy Welles	Tommy Dorsey	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
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8	Dr. Malone	Breakfast Day	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
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2	Women Only	Ladies Fair	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
3	Breakfast Day	Sounds Too Funky	LeRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
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AFTERNOON

Hour	News	Warren News	Jack Beach	Curt Master
12	Bob Benson	Aunt Henry	Lee Stewart	Mister Melody
1	Bob Benson	Helen Trent	Farmer Jones	News Weather
2	Bob Benson	Our Gal Sunday	Sleepy Hollow	Happiness Keys
3	Bob Benson	Big Sister	Mary Jones	Marie Biddle
4	Bob Benson	Ms Perkins	Dr. Crane	Take A Number
5	Bob Benson	Dr Malone	Paula Stone	Liberty Bell
6	Bob Benson	Gilmore's Light	Bob 15	Alas Ladd
7	Hal Moore Show	Mr. Stevens	Bob Horn	Question Man
8	Hal Moore Show	John Trent	Bob Horn	Rhythm Riddles
9	Hal Moore Show	Elmer Drake	Bob Horn	Memory Lane
10	Hal Moore Show	Breakfast Day	Bob Horn	News Music
11	Hal Moore Show	Shopping Fun	Bob Horn	Sports Review
12	Hal Moore Show	Hold The Phone	Bob Horn	News Miss Spots
1	Hal Moore Show	John Trent	Bob Horn	Baseball Party
2	Hal Moore Show	Arthur Godfrey	Bob Horn	
3	Hal Moore Show	World On Parade	Bob Horn	
4	Hal Moore Show	Curt Master	Bob Horn	

EVENING

Hour	News	Alain Scott	Lee Stewart	News
6	News Weather	Sports Weather	Frankly Speaking	Frankly Speaking
7	News Weather	Jack Pyle And I	Stamps' Sams	Tom Moorhead
8	News Weather	Three Star Extra	Summer Pops	Comics
9	News Weather	Clown USA	Coronado Speaks	Comics
10	News Weather	One Man's Family	Lone Ranger	Cowboy Drama
11	News Weather	To Be Announced	Cowboy Drama	Lobby Parley
12	News Weather	Ray McCreary	Top Guy	Mac McGuire
1	News Weather	Bob and Pat	This Is Your FBI	Talent Hunt
2	News Weather	Mario Lanza	Newstand	"
3	News Weather	Music By Marisol	Summer Cruise	Magazine Reader
4	News Weather	Edgar Bergen	All Star Football Game	All Star Football Game
5	News Weather	Capitol	Health Aids	Music You Want
6	News Weather	Clockroom	Bob Horn	Comics Dance
7	News Weather	Concert Hall	Sandstand	"
8	News Weather	"	"	"
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Time Channel No. Program	Time Channel No. Program
1:30 P. M. 8 California Theater	7:30 P. M. 10 Circus Kid
1:30 P. M. 10 Harry's Movie	7:30 P. M. 3 The Nation of India
2:30 P. M. 3 Film In The Sun	7:30 P. M. 3 Kwest Weather
2:30 P. M. 8 Hollywood Varieties	7:30 P. M. 3 Handy Man
2:30 P. M. 9 Kitchen Calendar	7:30 P. M. 3 Three Tops
2:30 P. M. 10 Witz and Wit	7:30 P. M. 5 Star Erwin Show
3:00 P. M. 3 Big Pay-off	7:30 P. M. 10 Now
3:00 P. M. 5 Parade of Stars	7:30 P. M. 10 Eddie Arnold Show
3:30 P. M. 3 Comedy Dogs	7:30 P. M. 10 New Revue
3:30 P. M. 10 Bachelor's Choice	7:30 P. M. 10 Saturday Call
4:00 P. M. 6 Movie Matinee	8:00 P. M. 10 Down You Go
4:00 P. M. 10 Ghost Rider	8:00 P. M. 10 Arthur Murray Party
4:30 P. M. 3 Hellcats Are Back	8:30 P. M. 8 Twentieth Century
5:00 P. M. 3 Haskins Falls	8:30 P. M. 8 Pantastic Girls
5:00 P. M. 10 Justice Hi-Jinx	8:30 P. M. 3 Dances In Desert
5:15 P. M. 3 Gabby Hayes Show	8:30 P. M. 5 The Big Picture
5:30 P. M. 3 Hollywood Varieties	8:30 P. M. 10 Highways of Stars
5:30 P. M. 10 Today's Movie	8:30 P. M. 10 The Big Picture
5:30 P. M. 6 Space Cadet	8:30 P. M. 10 All Star Football Game
5:30 P. M. 8 Six Glance	8:30 P. M. 10 Festivals Tonight
5:30 P. M. 10 Mystery Master	10:30 P. M. 3 Greatest Fights
5:45 P. M. 5 News	10:30 P. M. 10 The World This Week
5:45 P. M. 5 Super Club	10:45 P. M. 3 Wrestling
5:45 P. M. 10 News	10:45 P. M. 10 News Weather

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The famous opera star, Lauritz Melchior, earned some of his favorite songs by singing at funeral ceremonies. One of his that ends, "The angels touched your forehead with a palm leaf." One time when Melchior sang this song, a roar of laughter went up from the mourner's bench. Melchior was puzzled at the time, but understood everything when he discovered later just how the deceased had made his exit from this vale of tears. A companion had hit him over the head with a beer bottle.

The advertising manager of a big Chicago daily has decided that women are like newspapers, reports Tide, and lists the following reasons to support his thesis: They have forms; they are made up; they have bold types; they always have the last word; they have great influence; they carry news wherever they go; they are much thinner than they used to be; and finally, every man should have one of his own and not borrow his neighbor's. The manager adds this postscript: Back numbers are not in demand.

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Yanks' Schmitz Wins - Giants Nip Dodgers

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—Yankee lefthander Johnny Schmitz breezed to an easy 7-2 victory over the Washington Senators in his everyday pitcher's first American League start today.

The Brooklyn Dodger castoff held the Nats to six safeties and with a 4-3 victory. was supported by a 16-hit attack on three Washington hurlers. The victory earned the Yanks the series, two games to one, and raised over a home plate tall, doubled home three runs in the sixth inning to provide the Giants' winning margin.

Cleveland Indians to three games. Joe Haynes, veteran righthander who had started only once previously, was a surprise pitching nominee by manager Bucky Harris. But Haynes didn't fool the Yankees, who kayoed him in the second inning as they built up a 5-0 lead.

Bosox Win Pair

BOSTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—Effective relief pitching today enabled the Boston Red Sox to sweep a double header from the Philadelphia Athletics at Fenway Park. The Red Sox topped the A's 5-4 in the 13-inning opener with a 4-2 decision. The Sox beat the A's again 15-10.

Lefty Maury McDermit pitched four-hit ball over the last nine and two-thirds innings of the first game after relieving rookie Dick Brodowski with the bases loaded.

In the nightcap, Ellis Kinder, in American League action for the first time since June 7, slammed the doors on the rallying Athletics in the eighth inning to save the Red Sox for Willard Nixon. A two-run homer by rookie Dick Gernert put the Red Sox into a 4-4 deadlock in the sixth.

Fox Leads Sox

DETROIT, Aug. 14 (AP)—Nellie Fox's two-run triple in the 10th inning and Marvin Grissom's three-hit pitching helped the Chicago White Sox to a 2-0 victory over the Detroit Tigers today.

Grissom started the winning rally with a double to the left field wall. Hector Rodriguez singled over second and Grissom moved to third. Fox powered the ball over center fielder Johnny Groth's head to score Hal Brown, running for Grissom, and Rodriguez.

Philadelphia Wins

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 14 (AP)—The Philadelphia Athletics won their 10th straight game today, defeating the Boston Red Sox 5-3. The A's scored 10 runs in the first three innings.

Lefty Eddie Lopat pitched five shutout innings, and the A's offense was led by Jim Piersall's three hits.

Washington Wins

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Chicago Wins

CHICAGO, Aug. 14 (AP)—Kenny Raffensberger, the 35-year-old hurler who specializes in southpaw serves, allowed just five hits as he continued his mastery of the Chicago Cubs in pitching the Cincinnati Reds to a 4-1 victory and a 21-game edge before 6,965 here in 1942.

New York Wins

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—Ralph Kiner, the National League's leading home run hitter, belted a solo shot in the ninth inning to give the New York Giants a 3-2 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Pittsburgh Wins

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 14 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates beat the St. Louis Cardinals 5-3.

St. Louis Wins

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 14 (AP)—Two booming home runs by Ralph Kiner, his 23rd and 25th of the season, each with a man on base, gave the Pittsburgh Pirates a 5 to 3 victory in 10 innings over the St. Louis Cardinals here tonight.

Murry Dickson went all the way for the Pirates in defeating Joe Presko.

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PLAYGROUND LEADERS PLAY

Staff Members Attend Banquet Marking End Of Recreation Season

Staff members of Pottstown playgrounds were honored at a banquet at the Seven Stars restaurant on Route 23 last night.

The playground leaders have worked with about 1300 children ever since June 16 at the borough's nine recreation areas, teaching them games and crafts and developing their skills in sports.

Leaders at the banquet last night included Jeanne Brown, Connie Oettinger, Patricia Reis, Venice Eagle, Gertrude Roper, David Towers, Dolores Fuhl, Mary Lou Singer, Genevieve Snyder, Sandra Skean, Doris Miller, Mrs. Jean Ann Liesau, Barbara Cressman, Kenneth Schinstine and Isaac Jacobs.

Other playground officials present were Mrs. Florence Manthorne, director of playgrounds who acted as mistress of ceremonies at last night's celebration; Robert A. Reis, director of recreation; and Mrs. Vera E. Lums, supervisor of crafts.

MEMBERS OF BOROUGH council's recreation committee present last night were J. M. Creswell, president; Leonard Hiltwinc, secretary and treasurer; and I. LeRoy Johnson, vice president.

Burgess William A. Griffith and Dr. G. A. McCormick, superintendent of schools, were guests at the evening's entertainment.

Others present were Edward Good, Charles Fegely, Howard Herracks, Joan Shellenberger, Mrs. Richard Ricketts, Artonia Martin and Morell Grizz.

After the dinner, the group participated in short skits and a songfest.

SCHINSTINE, WHO has had previous experience in organizing an orchestra, offered a "rendition" by his new-found group, all playing plastic toy instruments.

A vocal solo by Mrs. Liesau with Doris Miller at the piano was one of the musical highlights of the evening's entertainment.

The humorous portion of the entertainment came when Reis, Towers, Dr. McCormick and Creswell put on a skit called, "If Men Played Cards as Women Do."

After about two-and-a-half hours of merry making, the banquet ended and the leaders went home to get a good night's rest for today.

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Society Brings Children Together

A group of children placed in foster homes by the Children's Aid Society of Montgomery county, are shown in the playroom of the society's headquarters in Norristown, under the supervision of a staff worker. Children of one family which must be split up among sev-

eral foster homes are brought in contact with one another at periodic intervals at the society headquarters. The United Fund agency has provided homes for 135 youngsters during the past year, including 20 in the Pottstown area. (Story on Page 1).

Rotary Club Hears Scandinavian Talk

NORWAY after World War II, its shortages and the effects of German occupation on its people, were outlined to Rotarians last night by Harold O. Hill.

The assistant chief engineer of the Bethlehem Steel company plant, Bethlehem, who spent September and August of 1947 in Norway and Sweden, illustrated his talk with slides.

He explained the lack of luxuries in Norwegian hotels, the meager menus and piles of wood fuel used because of the lack of better fuels.

Hill is a past president of the Bethlehem Rotary club, Pottstown. Attorney Joseph L. Prince outlined obligations of Rotarians in a brief talk entitled "Gems of Rotary." Walter F. Heise, president, presided at the session in the Elks home. Sixty-five members were present.

Traces Are Uncovered In Missing Girl Hunt

HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 (AP)—The mother of a missing 12-year-old girl from Bath, N. Y., told police here today that she believed she had uncovered traces of her daughter in this area.

The girl, Patricia Smith, of Bath, disappeared from home on Aug. 14, leaving a note saying she wished she could be allowed to "grow up," the mother said.

Mrs. Nellie Smith said she had negatives of pictures of her daughter printed here and that the proprietor of a restaurant at nearby Amity Hall said he believed he had seen the same girl with a truckdriver this week.

Mrs. Smith, who has been making inquiries all along Route 15 through Pennsylvania, said she believes the girl is headed for Norfolk, Va. Route 15 runs from New York State, through Pennsylvania and Maryland to Virginia.

Drive Nets \$11,799 For New Ambulance

The Good Will ambulance fund drive netted \$11,799 it was announced last night by Harry Wertz, chairman of the ambulance committee.

Submitting his report at the August meeting of the fire company, Wertz listed 143 ambulances to close the wounds. The youth is calls for July and said a new ambulance would be delivered in six weeks.

Chief Robert Roth reported 18 fire calls for the past month which boosts the yearly total to 72.

Twenty-one applications for membership and 14 new members were approved. After the business meeting 65 members present were served steak sandwiches by Donald Davis.

President Leslie Rhoads was in charge.

Boy Loses Balance, Cuts Arm on School Window

Michael Medevitz, 10, of 347 Union Alley, suffered deep cuts of the left arm yesterday afternoon when he lost his balance while playing and his arm crashed through a window of the Jefferson school.

Eight sutures were required at Memorial hospital at 3:55 o'clock.

The youth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Medevitz.

Wolves kill about 5 percent of Canadian caribou herds each year, says the National Geographic Society.

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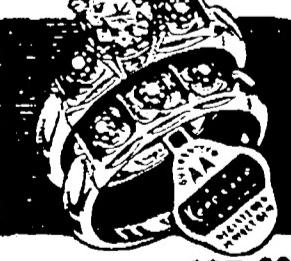
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Obituaries

NORMAN H. HESS, 62, of LEDERACH, a retired carpenter and husband of Eva (Lederach) Hess, died at his home Wednesday night.

A son of the late William and Elizabeth (Harley) Hess, he was born in Upper Providence township on the Rittenhouse road farm now run by his nephew, Clay C. Hess.

Mr. Hess had been ill for the past two years. He returned to his Lederach home from Memorial hospital this past Saturday.

He was a member of Salford Mennonite church, near Harleysville.

Besides his wife he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: The Rev. Samuel H. Hess, Royersford; Lottie, wife of Byron Hornberger, Royersford; Mrs. Elizabeth Kline, Skippack; Robert D. Hess, Collegeville.

Funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Sunday from Salford Mennonite church.

Interment will be in the adjoining cemetery.

Services for HELEN MARIE SMITH, 6-month-old daughter of Robert G. and Anna (Dinnocenti) Smith, were conducted from their home at 1307 QUEEN STREET yesterday morning at 10 o'clock.

Officiating was the Rev. David V. Leahy, assistant rector of St. Aloysius Catholic church. Interment was made at St. Aloysius new cemetery.

Bearers were Joseph Fesco, Richard Beidle, Nicholas Dinnocenti and Ronald Dinnocenti.

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last night's meeting set Wednesday night as the time for a meeting with Pottstown Fire Police representatives to arrange for policing of the spectator area at the airport during the bicentennial air show August 24.

VOTING CAMPAIGN STARTS

NEW YORK, Aug. 14 (AP)—The nation's Negro newspapers today opened a non-partisan campaign to strength of Negroes.

Herbert N. Maier and his wife, Katherine, president and secretary opened a non-partisan campaign to strength of Negroes.

Elections to fill the vice presidential and secretarial vacancies will be conducted at the September meeting.

The 18 members present at

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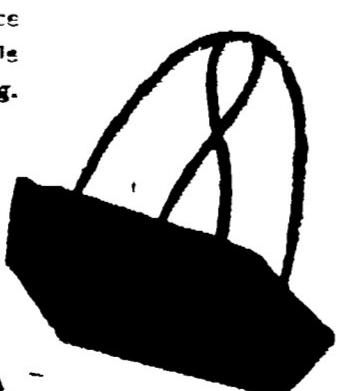
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A commendable record

THERE was a time when nothing was thought of a municipal body staying within its budget.

But times have changed. Today, in the age of "tax and spend and tax and spend," there's little lifting of surprised eyebrows when deficit spending reaches astronomical heights.

The Federal government sets the pace by spending billions of dollars we haven't got. States have followed suit by wallowing in the Washington money-mud-hole and setting over their heads at home. Even cities now think nothing of getting deeply into debt.

It's commendable, then, to find a governmental sub-division that stays within the budget.

That's Pottstown! (bless it!)

Taxpayers beamed yesterday when J. Wayne Knause, chairman of the borough finance committee, announced Pottstown should finish the year in the black:

Man, that's unheard of!

"The budget looks excellent," the purse watcher said. Then he went on to say various departments not only were keeping within their budgets, but revenues in some cases were exceeding expectations.

That's a mighty fine report. Councilman Knause should be congratulated. It's good housekeeping and deserves commendation!

Let's hope the Pottstown borough council continues to watch the budget carefully, and watches the expenditure of money more closely. Pottstown doesn't want a tax increase!

This latter assertion is backed by some anonymous mail that has been coming from various officials' way. It has been mailed to the borough manager's office, to various councilmen.

Usually it's in the form of newspaper clippings. The cuttings disclose stories of tax-cutting moves, of municipalities' efforts to force economies.

Maybe councilmen have been alerted to the citizenry's cry against more taxes. Staying within the budget should please these folks.

No seventh heaven

FACTUAL reports from retailers of all types and sizes indicate that, as a general rule, sales are running at good levels—but profits are very low, in some cases dangerously so.

Various reasons are given for this—higher wages and taxes, unfair government regulations, and so on. In addition, competition is extremely keen, and on occasion has resulted in excessive price-cutting.

Here is the answer to those who believe that, because prices are high and a vast mass of goods is being funneled through the stores, retailing is in a seventh heaven.

The fact is that the retailer's unavoidable operating costs have tended to outrun the rises in prices that have taken place in late years.

The consequence is that in thousands of retailing operations, big and little, the owners' net—the money that's left after all the bills and taxes and wages are paid—is less than it was in the days when prices were much lower and the dollar hadn't shrunk to the size of a fifty-cent piece.

In a free economy, where there are no brakes on competition, profits are always held to reasonable levels.

At the same time, when profits become too low, the interest of the consumer as well as the interest of the storekeeper is endangered.

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The health of any enterprise is largely measured by the profit figures—and a healthy, vigorous retailing industry is one of the cornerstones of our economy.

Grampaw Oakley

PUNKIN CORNERS, Editor, The Mercury. Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where German scientists are working on a rocket that will shoot mail from Europe to the U.S. in 60 minutes. I'm against it. The way it is now we get the bad news from over there fast enough!

An item says a French expedition seeking remnants of Noah's Ark on Ararat ran into a violent rain storm. Just like old times!

And say: I'm not committing myself as to which presidential candidate I'll support until both Eisenhower and Stevenson reveal their policy toward flying saucers!

Hopin' you air the same.

GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

'Glasgow Kids' Razz School Board

'Let's Go, Kids'

To the Editor: A bouquet of skunk cabbage to the school directors who have made us walk by saying "No" to buses for us to go to school.

Perhaps on a rainy day they'll come back for us.

You see, we have no public bus service or pavements so we can go back to the "good old days" and use the road; but then they had no speeding cars in rush by and splash them up to sit in school wet as day.

I'm sure when we grow up (21) we will remember this and keep away from public servants whose only thought is to save at our expense.

We hope our Daddys will go to the next board meeting in a group. Let's go kids, and haul skunk cabbage. Don't wait till Spring or they might take free education from us by then (just to save).

POTTSTOWN RD. 3 GLASGOW KIDS

P.S.—There are about 15 of us. Want all our names so they can find us on a rainy day?

Truck Drivers Rapped

To the Editor: I often wonder if customer goodwill is considered by some of our firms, like bakeries and milk

companies and dry cleaners and the like. I refer to unthinking acts of truck drivers who must cost their firms some lost customers.

Specifically, I refer to the truck driver who will drive his truck on the wrong side of the street, scaring the wits out of other motorists. Also the milk man and the bakery man who will park his truck in the middle of the street, or at an angle, whereby other motorists can't pass.

Why does the truck driver think he is specially favored by being allowed to do these things?

I'm an early morning driver and I find most of these illegal acts are committed then. Milkmen are especially careless with the law, and some bakery truck drivers ought to be handed a State motor code.

Some of these companies must have safety schools. Some probably give their "safe" drivers rewards. But what of the driver's respect for the poor motorist who is inconvenienced? Shouldn't that be considered when prizes are handed out.

I know a man who stopped patronizing a firm because he got angry at this flagrant disregard of courtesy on the

road by a truck driver.

Maybe that isn't the Christian attitude to take. But I wanted the firms to know people are harassed by their unthinking drivers, and I think a word from their bosses might stop it.

POTTSTOWN INCONVENIENCED

Streets Are Embarrassing

To the Editor: Was I embarrassed!

The other night I wanted to show a newcomer to Pottstown what sights we have to offer.

We rode off High street, up Hanover and onto Diamond. The ride was a little bumpy but I didn't feel that an apology was necessary. Then we crossed Charlotte and continued on Diamond out to the country club. What a ride!

But the best was yet to come.

I wanted to get onto Keim street and after going through the drive of the club go onto Jackson street—street did I say? My poor guest was exhausted!

To climax our evening, as we rode to the "safety" of High street and pulled up to wait for the light to change, a car-load of riflemen tried to race with us.

Oh my, such a town—at times.

POTTSTOWN CHIEF-RED-IN-THE-FACE

WASHINGTON

Senate Candidates May Strengthen Stevenson

By RAY TUCKER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14.—The Democrats' selection of popular and formidable candidates for the United States Senate in several doubtful states may prove to be a definite asset for Governor Adlai E. Stevenson when the electoral roll is tabulated next January. They may carry him to victory in these areas on their community coattails.

This local reinforcement is especially valuable—in fact, essential—to the Democratic presidential nominee because he is relatively unknown outside his own state of Illinois.

How to overcome this handicap in a short campaign is one of the chief concerns at Springfield. Stevenson must depend on the home-state talent to make him known to their constituents as they stamp their respective states.

It is a lucky break for him that so many states have named first-rate men to run on the same ticket with him.

VOTE-GETTERS: This situation is exemplified most strikingly in the Middle West, where isolationist sentiment may react adversely against Stevenson's plan to defend the general foreign policy enunciated and executed by President Truman and Secretary Acheson.

Unless there has been a tremendous shift of public opinion since 1948, the Democratic nominee is expected to carry Illinois. He swept it by 572,000 only four years ago, and it is generally admitted that he ruled the state well. The Arvey machine in Cook County will outdo itself to place him in the White House.

In Indiana the Democrats have nominated Governor Henry F. Schricker, who placed Stevenson in nomination at Chicago. Schricker is one of the best Democratic vote-getters the Hoosier state has produced in many years. It is generally believed that he will defeat Senator William E. Jenner, who is regarded as second-rater, on Capitol Hill.

W. Stuart Symington's defeat of the presidential favorite, Attorney General J. E. Taylor, in Missouri can be chalked up as a gain for Stevenson. Symington's tremendous primary vote, as well as his prestige and personality, give him an edge over the Republican incumbent, Senator James P. Kem. Taylor would have been only a so-so candidate.

Although Tennessee is normally a Democratic state, Representative Albert Gore's trimming of the Senate octogenarian, Kenneth McKellar, should make sure that it will not waver. As one of the youngest and ablest members of the House, Gore should sweep Tennessee into the Democratic column for himself and Stevenson.

STRONG: In another section of the country—Massachusetts—the Democrats have named a strong man to oppose Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. He is Representative John Kennedy, son of the former SEC chairman and Ambassador to England.

Lodge is not the sure winner he is supposed to be. His servile support of the Truman-Acheson foreign policy has antagonized certain Bay State elements.

Thus, her protest about their great love for each other, is partially wishful thinking. She "hopes" he truly loves her!

But his actions speak louder than words: He glibly pushed aside her suggestion of matrimony with the inane reply that conditions are too uncertain in time of war to warrant marriage!

By such a callous remark, he has simply made things far more terrible for his young sweetheart, who already doesn't know where to turn or what to do.

After a girl is in Dora's dilemma, it only adds further to her unhappiness to remind her that I have repeatedly warned you young people against letting your emotions run away with your brain.

So I simply suggested that she tell her mother and the boy's mother at once. Thus she can let them take over part of the load which she is now carrying alone.

Perhaps they can plan a wedding for the young couple and thus relieve this girl of the additional worry which she faces at the thought of unwed motherhood.

She seemed much encouraged when I sent her home, but I am not so encouraged. This boy has run away from an unsolved dilemma at home.

MISS MARY SLINSKI, 445 Laurel street, Pottstown, BECAUSE her engagement to Mr. John Yanis, Summit Hill, has been announced.

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The Voice of Broadway

By DOROTHY KILGALLEN

Gossip In Gotham

Preminger and Feliza (the ex-Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt) . . . Around City Hall the boys say the city is coining incredible sums—the biggest in its history—from parking tickets.

JOAN FONTAINE, currently in Europe, is livening it up with Prince Nicholas of Yugoslavia . . . Torch-carrier as a result of Nancy Oakes' betrothal announcement is Richard Greene, the film actor . . . Campaign expenditures will be given a triple check by Sepate committee come November. The rumors on sums being spent in this Presidential battle are fantastic.

Billy Eckstine may get one of the booking plums of the decade—the Palladium during Coronation week . . . Public Enemy Puff, who killed an FBI man when he was cornered here in New York, lived at the finest hotel in Philadelphia for weeks and was wined and dined in his pose as head of a legitimate business company. He met his wife while posing as a straightaway tycoon . . . Rosemary Colligan, former Gotham model, was the girl sighting at the airport when Mike Todd left Hollywood for the East.

TOPS IN TOWN. Emil Coleman's smooth RCA-Vic Rumba Album . . . The yummy barbecued baby ribs at the Embers . . . Sonny Howard's amusing and accurate vocal imitations at the Cops . . . Bobby Wayne's disc, "Because You're Mine" . . . Ernest Hemingway's great new tale, "The Old Man and the Sea" . . .

DAPHNE WALKER, the British Sonja Henie, will hit the front pages with her divorce story . . . Pat Neal is in love with Peter Douglas-Sharmar's brother—that she may succumb to the elopement idea instead of waiting for the Fall wedding. (And it seems only yesterday that her best friends thought she'd "never get over" Gary Cooper.)

Marguerite Piazza and the Met won't duet this season. She'll concentrate on TV and radio . . . Cary Grant is bedded with virus . . . The big buzz in Paris is the sizzling feed starring Marion (the ex-Mrs. Otto)

of

BIG POTATO—Oliver S. Fritz, of Stowe, raised a potato which weighs a pound and a half and is 17½ inches in circumference. He has a plot on the brow of Chestnut Hill in Chester county.

RECOVERING—Joseph Bush, of North Coventry, who broke his leg while threshing, is slowly recovering. This is the third time the leg was fractured in the same place.

PLEASE NOTICE Dora's first two sentences. She is like the boy who whistles in the dark to keep up his courage.

For she really isn't so sure that her boy friend loves her. She is trying to convince herself.

Thus, her protest about their great love for each other, is partially wishful thinking. She "hopes" he truly loves her!

NURSES' INSTRUCTRESS—Marie C. Creswell, daughter of H. C. Creswell, 379 Spruce street, has been elected instructor of nurses at Pottstown hospital. She is a graduate of the Allentown General Hospital school of nursing and was also on the nurses staff of the State Hospital, Rittersville.

FATAL INJURIES—HARVEY M. Rhoads, 39, farmer of Douglassville RD. 2, died in Pottstown hospital from injuries suffered in a crash near his home. His car crashed into a pole.

10 Years Ago

August 15, 1942

FLAG DEDICATION—A large flag was dedicated at the St. John's Catholic church of the Greek Rite, South and Charlotte streets, in honor of members in the U. S. armed services. The flag was donated by mothers of veterans Rev. John D. Tapich, the rector, and Rev. Desiderius Simcoe, of Trenton, N. J., took part in the program.

KING'S DAUGHTERS—Pottstown Circle of the King's Daughters are sending packets of writing paper, envelopes and religious literature to boys in the armed services. Miss M. Irene Boyer is president of the Circles. On the gift committee are Mrs. Owain Geisler, Mrs. David B. Hoover and Mrs. George W. Russell.

TINY ACORNS, MIGHTY OAKS



State's Draft Quota Is Set for October

HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 (AP)—Pennsylvania's draft quota for October was fixed today at 454 men, a big increase over those for August and September.

However, State draft head-quarters said the increased quota would not affect 19-year-olds and fathers, who are now in deferred classifications.

"We still should have enough men from the above 20-year age group to meet our normal requirements for the rest of the year— even if they are higher than they have been, as they are expected to be," said Lt. Col. Frank J. Graf, deputy State director.

He added Pennsylvania has an adequate pool of eligible draftees— outside the 19-year-old and father class—who have been examined and passed all requirements for induction or who are ready to be examined. That total was estimated at 6,000 on June 30.

"There are about 5,000 men in the State turning 20 each month. We haven't been examining all of them because our quotas calls have been light. Many states are much further down in their manpower pool than we are."

North Korean Premier Gives Armistice Speech.

TOKYO, Friday, Aug. 15 (AP)—North Korean Premier Kim Il Sung declared last night that "we hope to get an armistice agreement where there is neither victor nor vanquished."

His speech, unusually moderate in tone, was delivered at the North Korean capital of Pyongyang during a rally on the eve of the seventh anniversary of Japan's surrender.

Kim said "U. S. insistence on compulsory retention of Communist prisoners is the only obstacle holding up final settlement of the Korean dispute."

He charged that the United States "is trying to break the back of North Korean resistance by attacking cities, farming villages and electric power plants."

Personal To Women With Nagging Backache

Nagging backache, loss of pep and energy headaches and stiffness may be due to a lack of calcium in the diet. Good kidney function is very important to good health. When some everyday condition, such as stress and strain, causes this important function to deteriorate, you may feel backache—most miserable. Minor back-irritations due to cold or wrong diet may cause getting up nights or frequent passing of urine. Don't neglect your kidneys. Take Down's Pills—a mile dietary. Used successfully by millions for over 30 years. It's amazing how many times Down's give happy relief from these discomforts. Get Down's Pills—wherever the druggists flush out waste. Get Down's Pills today!

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Tactical Maneuvers To Start for Guard Air, Ground Groups

HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 (AP)—Six thousand National Guardsmen belonging to 14 Army and air units;

will take part in a two-week summer encampment beginning Saturday at Indianantown Gap and Spatzfield, Reading.

Two major objectives were outlined by the state department of military affairs for the field training program:

1. To provide a State military force capable of immediate action in the event of a

local or state-wide emergency.

2. To train the Guard as a national reserve force ready to enter combat with only a minimum of active duty training.

THE ENCAMPMENT will be co-

ordinated by the adjutant general Cavalry regiment and 111th In-

fantry regiment will begin maneu-

vers under a central com-

Injunction Continued In Dispute Over Well

LOCK HAVEN, Aug. 14 (AP)—A temporary injunction was being held up by two court cases.

The artillery ranges early in the week. Tanks of the 104th Armored county court in a dispute over continuance in McGuire's injunc-

tion. Select and plant them while in bloom. \$5 or more, \$8 each. Cash and carry. Evening to darkness, except Sat. & Sun. to 4 P.M.

John A. McGuire, Renovo, who Keta Gas and Oil company, Bradford, to give

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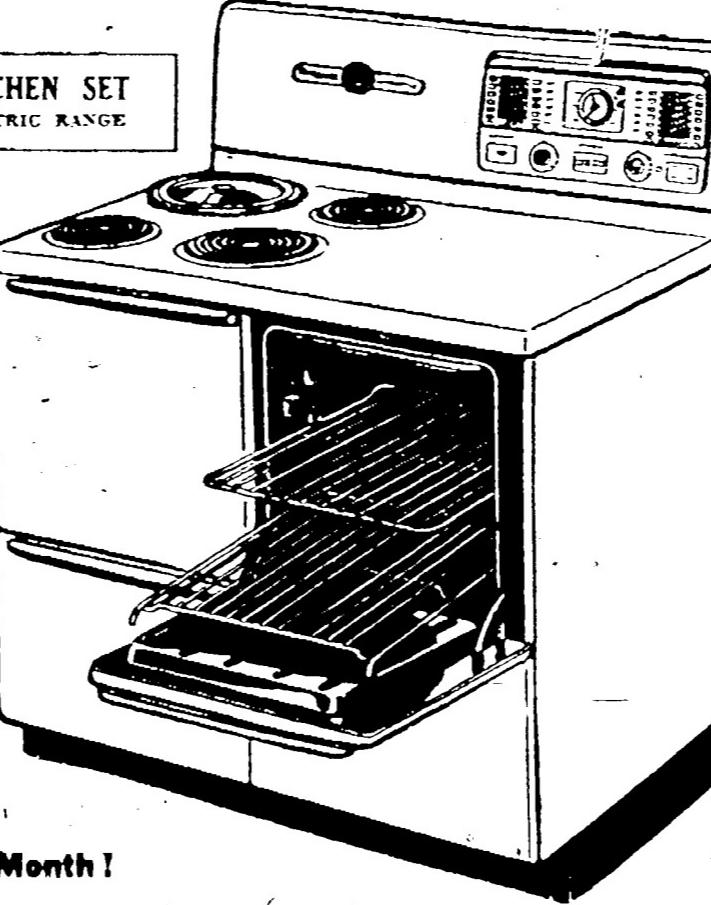
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Mark Sullivan, Dean Of U. S. Columnists, Dies of Heart Attack

WEST CHESTER Aug. 14 (AP)—Mark Sullivan, dean of America's newspaper columnists, died of a heart attack last night in Chester County hospital. He would have been 78 on Sept. 10.

A working newspaperman author and political analyst for 61 years, Sullivan was stricken at his farm home in nearby Avondale. This farm, built by his Irish immigrant parents, was his birthplace.

He returned there several years ago and continued to write his twice a week column for the New York Herald Tribune and other newspapers almost to the moment of his death.

Sullivan was the author of several books, including his own autobiography, and once wrote for the Ladies' Home Journal. He also served several years as editor of Collier's magazine.

ONE OF 10 children, all of whom made a mark for themselves in life, Sullivan is survived by a son and two daughters. Tentative plans for the funeral have been set for Saturday at noon at West Chester.

His brother, the late Thomas Sullivan, left nearly \$500,000 to Temple University and that school dedicated the Sullivan Memorial Library in his honor.

A personal friend of two presidents, Theodore Roosevelt and Herbert Hoover, Sullivan was greedy for education and sold his interest in a small Pennsylvania newspaper—the Phoenixville Republican—to enter Harvard college. At that time he was only 19.

He earned an A.B. at Harvard, then went three more years through its law school, paving his way by writing feature articles for Boston newspapers.

Though he never practiced law, Sullivan used his legal training to good advantage in his magazine and newspaper work. It served him in good stead as he became one of the nation's top political writers.

He was a crusader, too, having spearheaded a drive against the patent medicine evil in a series of articles in Edward Bok's Ladies' Home Journal. His 1904 crusade paid dividends two years later when Congress enacted the first Pure Food and Drug act.

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Auto Industry Requests Hike in Steel Allotments

WASHINGTON Aug. 14 (AP)—The auto industry, contending that the Government has exaggerated the prospective steel shortage more than 200,000 because of curtailed allotments in the last three months of the year, asked today for sharply increased steel allotments after Oct. 1.

Auto makers told the National Production Authority in their ap Southeastern Indiana will burn agreement.

The settlement came as Jones in use at a Newport News, Va.

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**SURRENDER NOT
NOTED IN JAPAN**

**Japanese Will Ignore
Seventh Anniversary of
Date When Empire Folded**

TOKYO, Friday, Aug. 15.—The dream of empire blew up seven years ago today but a rebuilt, independent Japan will ignore this fateful surrender anniversary.

Japanese will leave any celebrating to the Koreans among them. About 5000 Koreans scheduled a rally in Tokyo to celebrate this day, which meant an end of 40 years of bondage under the Japanese.

The Japanese themselves are preoccupied with the problems of foreign trade, rearming in a dangerous world, and the bid for political power which some wartime leaders will make this Fall.

Japan has come far since that Aug. 15, 1945, when a startled and unbending people heard their Emperor announce that the game was up.

THE CITIES and great ports lay in ruins from Allied bombings and Naval shelling. Most of the imperial fleet and the merchant fleet lay at the bottom of the sea. And soon the conqueror would come.

With the help of a mild Allied occupation, the Japanese have erased most of the scars of war that gaped wide in every major city.

Even the world situation was in Japan's favor. The fall of China to Communism and war in Korea convinced the Western world that Japan would have to become a friend and ally.

A peace treaty was signed in San Francisco the past September and went into effect on April 28.

Now Prime Minister Shigeru Yoshida, who steered Japan expertly through most of the seven troubled years, faces a political fight for life this Fall.

IT WAS Yoshida who got the best deal he could from the occupation, helped negotiate the treaty and went to the United States to sign it. And it was he who, while satisfying the West, managed to preserve more independence for Japan than most people thought possible.

With National Diet elections expected in November or December, Yoshida will take his case to the people.

His biggest struggle is within his own Liberal (Conservative) party. There he is challenged for party leadership — and probably for the prime minister's post — by Ichiro Hatoyama.

Hatoyama led Yoshida's party until he was purged from public life by the occupation for his pro-Asia writing in wartime.

Yoshida took over the leadership of the Conservatives when Hatoyama was purged. Yoshida's men argue that Hatoyama has suffered a stroke and is no physical condition to take over again.

**Party Chairman
And Truman Discuss
Campaign Strategy**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 14 (AP)—Stephen A. Mitchell, new chairman of the Democratic National committee, talked over campaign strategy with President Truman today and then told newsmen, "of course, there will be complete cooperation."

Mitchell is the man whom Gov. Adlai E. Stevenson, the presidential nominee, picked the past week to take over the national committee reins from Frank E. McKinney, who was Truman's choice.

Mitchell talked with Truman for 25 minutes and then spent nearly an hour conferring with various members of the White House staff. Asked whether there would be cooperation between the White House and Stevenson during the campaign, Mitchell said:

"There is no question about it in my mind. Of course, there will be complete cooperation."

It was Mitchell's first call on the President since Stevenson announced Mitchell's selection as national chairman the past Friday. He told reporters Truman "was warm, friendly, helpful and very gracious," and he continued:

"The main purpose of my call was to get acquainted with the President in my new capacity and to have a general talk on politics and the campaign."

"THE PRESIDENT and I talked over several matters, and while I will be glad to be co-operative, I can't start answering questions as to all the subjects we covered."

Among the questions he declined to answer was whether he and Truman talked over the question of calling Congress back into special session to deal with price controls. Truman has said he is considering such a session.

Mitchell also declined to specify the Truman aides with whom he talked, except to say there were a number of them.

Stevenson himself called at the White house Tuesday to talk over the forthcoming campaign. Today his Republican opponent, Dwight D. Eisenhower, declined an invitation to come to the White house for a briefing on foreign affairs.

Mitchell, a Chicago attorney, is a long-time associate of Stevenson.

**PUC Orders 5-Year
Phone Cost Estimate**

HARRISBURG, Aug. 14 (UPI)—The Pennsylvania Public Utility commission today ordered the Bell Telephone company of Pennsylvania to estimate how much it would cost to reproduce the utility's entire facilities.

based on average costs of a five-year period.

The order is in connection with the proposed increases would affect two million Bell subscribers and would boost most residence bills 50 cents a month. They would also make

the basic pay booth call a dime instead of a nickel.

In previous hearings Bell has submitted reproduction estimates based on one and two-year cost studies. But the utility declined a figure because Bell believed it vital first aid for cuts from flying insects. It would be too costly to make and glass.

Two stores and part of a third were blown up here today. Seven persons were given hospital treatment.

Two Stores Blow Up;
Seven Persons Treated

MARIANNA, Fla., Aug. 14 (UPI)—

An investigation was delayed until smoldering flames were put out.

A drug store and barbershop were just blown into nothingness. An adjacent fashion shop was damaged and resultant fire completed its destruction.

These were one-story brick buildings. A nearby two-story insurance company building was damaged by smoke and water.

The bagpipe was popular with troubadours of the Middle Ages.

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Royersford - Spring City

HARLEY B. BRANDRETH, Rep.
Third Avenue and Main Street, Royersford Phone 158

Steel Company Justice Resigns Post Lists Expansion At \$300,000

John A. Coulston, 84, of 333 Bridge street, Spring City, treasurer of the borough Building and Loan association for 40 years, resigned his post, it was learned yesterday.

W. Paul Youngblud, president of the association, said a testimonial dinner will be given for Coulston on Tuesday, Aug. 26, at Lakeside Inn, Limerick.

Emily Green, who served as clerk for the firm for several years, has been named to succeed Coulston as treasurer.

Coulston has been Justice of the Peace in Spring City for about 40 years. His office is located at 65 North Main street, and is the same as that occupied by the loan company.

YOUNGBLUD HAS indicated that the association will continue to occupy the same quarters.

Mrs. Dorothy Geyer has been named to fill the position of clerk to succeed Miss Green.

THE 200-TON railroad bridge, spanning the old canal, adjoining the plant, will be razed, Lynch said. The canal will be filled in at that point and a building extension will be constructed across it, to provide a shipping station at the rear of the building, he said.

The program will make Keystone one of the largest plants of its kind in the Philadelphia area, Lynch said.

LIBRARY LISTS HOURS

Royersford Free Public Library will be closed from today through Tuesday, Sept. 2. Katherine Hawkins, librarian, announced that, starting Wednesday, Sept. 3, new hours will be 3:30 to 5 p.m., on Mondays and Wednesdays, and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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NEW BERLINVILLE

Miranda, Beger, Mrs. Mabel, Mrs. Gentry, del. Pottstown 2-2624.

Milford Park camp meeting is now in session. The Evangelist is the Rev. George Hewitt from Terre, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Osman spent a week's vacation at Wildwood, N.J.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davidheiser and daughter, Elaine, of Slove, and Mrs. Snyder and daughter, Mary Snyder, of Grims Mill, called in Miranda Boyer.

Mrs. Gertie Romig spent a week-end in Allentown.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hess entertained visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Renninger of Schwenksville called on the latter's mother, Mrs. Laura Henry and Miss Mae Henry.

Barbara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Frain has a severe attack of rheumatism.

Amos Osman who has been indisposed the past four weeks is improving.

Lizzie Johnson who has been indisposed the past few weeks is improving.

The old home of Frank Rush which is being remodeled is fast nearing completion. It will be the home of the New Berlinville post office.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moyer, of Boyertown, called on the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Moyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Gehris and daughter Sandra of Pensburg spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Henry.

The clam bake held by Granny Frey at his bungalow in Anise, was very well attended. Music was furnished by Cook's Band and Rodney Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roberts of Herford called on their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. James Roberts and family.

HOPPENVILLE

Mrs. Pearl Lester, corr. Phone Pennsylvania 5-4742.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf and son spent the weekend at Lake Harmony.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Miller and children of Emmaus, and Mr. and Mrs. James Miller and daughter, Bonita, of Red Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wurster and daughter of Kulpville, spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Leister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessiah Wolf and son of Finland, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Swetland of Red Hill called on Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Lester and family.

Richard Wolf son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wolf preached at Christ Union church of Niantic, the past Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haas and daughter of town, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Stephen of Emmaus, and Mr. and Mrs. Stickler of Chicago, spent Monday afternoon and night with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Leister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessiah Wolf of Finland and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Miller of Limerick spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller and sons of Emmaus spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Moll and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Long.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClean of Glenside formerly of town visited Mrs. Pearl Hersh and family and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Leister on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Leister and Mrs. Roy Miller of Emmaus made a business trip to Allentown on Monday morning.

Earl Leister of North Wales spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Leister.

BALLY

Miss Clara Gehman, corr. Phone Bally 45-R-3. Toder Bros., del. Phone Bally 89-R-3.

Mrs. William Quigley returned home from the Sacred Heart hospital, Allentown, where she was a surgical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gehman went to the Mennonite Home for Aged in Lancaster, where Mrs. Gehman has received employment as a nurse—and Mr. Gehman is also employed at the same place.

The wedding of Naomi Landis daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landis of Alburtis RD and Paul Yoder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Yoder of Coopersburg RD, will be held in the Old Mennonite church on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 p.m.

James Gerhart moved with his family from the Hottenstein apartment into his newly remodeled home in Clayton which he recently bought from Ralph Berkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Schmoyer moved into the home of the late Mrs. John Otterbein on Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Beidler attended the eighth annual Beidler reunion on Sunday afternoon at Miller's Grove, one mile west of Steinsburg.

Tuesday evening, Aug. 19, the Women's Missionary society will meet at the home of Mrs. Frank Benfield, Huff's church.

Ronald, Donald, and Elmer Jr., Gilbert, spent several days with Robert and Steward Schwank at Pensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilbert and sons, Mrs. Dorothy Adams and sons of Barto RD, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rhoads attended the Gilbert reunion at the home of Ephriam Gilbert, Bechtelsville.

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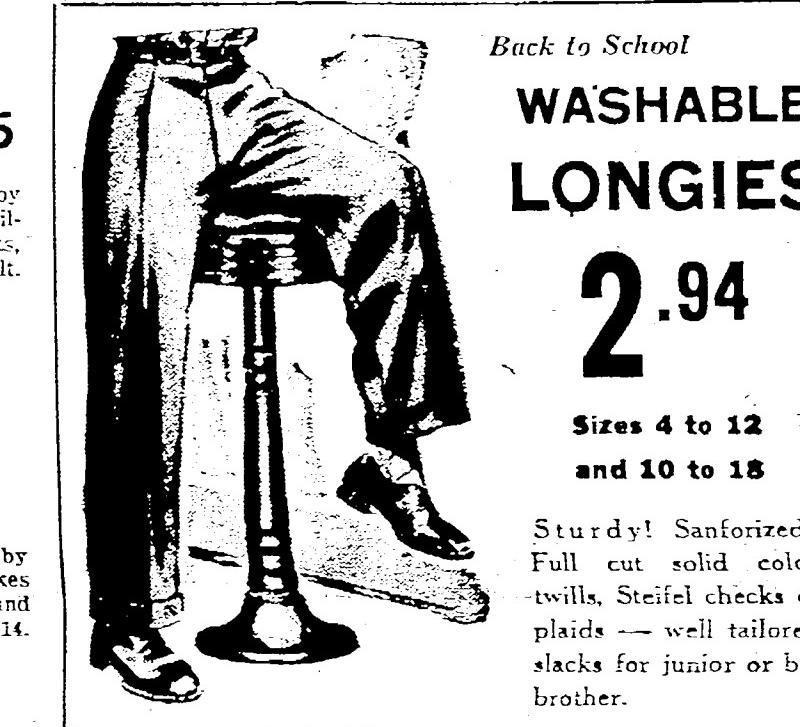
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